

VISIT OF MR. WILSON TO KENTUCKY TURNED INTO CAMPAIGN EVENT

Cheering Crowds Greet Him as the "Next President," During His Stay in Hodgenville.

ACCEPTS LINCOLN MEMORIAL

Makes Non-Political Speech and Praises Lincoln as the Embodiment of Democracy.

SHAKES HANDS WITH MANY

Hughes' Name Mentioned by One of Speakers on Programme.

Hodgenville, Ky., September 4.—President Wilson came to Kentucky today to pay homage to the memory of Lincoln and avoid politics, but a great crowd gathered from all parts of the state, cheered him at every appearance, and turned his visit into a campaign event. The President accepted for the Federal government the log cabin in which Lincoln was born, in a speech devoted to an eulogy of the Civil War President. Standing on a temporary platform at the foot of a hill topped by a magnificent granite memorial building housing the Lincoln cabin, he praised Lincoln as the embodiment of democracy.

Non-Political Programme

"We are not worthy to stand here unless we ourselves be in deed and in truth real democrats and seekers of mankind," he said, "ready to give our very lives for the freedom and justice and spiritual exaltation of the great nation which shelters and nurtures us." The non-political character of the programme was emphasized by the mention of the name of Charles E. Hughes, the Republican nominee, by one of the speakers in giving the list of directors of the Lincoln Farm Association.

But as soon as the formal exercises were over politics came to the fore. At the railroad station platform President Wilson stood for nearly an hour shaking hands with men and women who greeted him as "the next President." As his train pulled out the crowd cheered and clapped, and he bowed in acknowledgment.

An Immense Crowd

What was said to be one of the largest crowds ever gathered in this part of Kentucky came to Lincoln Farm in special trains, automobiles and on foot. The President and his party were taken from the station to the farm in automobiles, accompanied by a troop of Louisville police. On the way the President stopped and laid a wreath on a statue of Lincoln.

Former Governor Folk Presides

Former Governor Joseph W. Folk, of Missouri, president of the Lincoln Farm Association, presided at the formal ceremonies. Robert J. Collier, vice-president of the association, gave the deed of the gift to the farm. Secretary Baker, representing the War Department, Senators Williams, of Mississippi, and General John B. Castleman, of Louisville, also delivered speeches.

In Introducing the President

Mr. Folk spoke of Mr. Wilson as "the successor of Lincoln in the affections of the American people." President and Mrs. Wilson with Secretary Baker, Secretary Tumulty and Mr. C. T. Grayson, the White House physician, left here at 2 o'clock for Washington where they will arrive at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Greeted by Thousands

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 4.—At Lexington, where Charles E. Hughes speaks tomorrow, President Wilson was greeted tonight by a crowd of several thousand who cheered him continuously for five minutes, set off red lights and whirled about the private car in an effort to shake his hand. The President made no speech but grasped scores of hands thrust up from the crowds.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 4.—President

Wilson halted his journey on the return from Hodgenville to Washington by a stop in Louisville late today. A committee had provided automobiles and persuaded the President to take a ride through one of the principal parks. Cheers greeted the President as he was driven through the downtown streets.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 4.—On board

President Wilson's special train—President Wilson decided tonight to spend Friday night in Atlantic City, after speaking that day before the convention of the National Woman Suffrage Association. Saturday morning he will go by motor to Long Branch, N. J., for an extended stay at Shadow Lawn.

The President expects to be busy to-

morrow afternoon and Wednesday signing bills and attending to other business preparatory to the adjournment of Congress.

SECRET DEMANDS MADE UPON CHINA

Japan Said to Threaten the Authority of China Over the Whole of Inner Mongolia.

ANXIETY OVER SITUATION

Another Crisis, Which Might Involve Interests of the United States in China, Is Feared by Officials in This Country.

Washington, September 4.—Secret demands in addition to those published today in dispatches from Peking, are being pressed on China by Japan, as a result of the recent clash of Chinese and Japanese troops at Chang Chiatun. It became known here tonight that the situation is much more serious than has been indicated, confidential reports saying the unpublished demands threaten the authority of China over the whole of Inner Mongolia.

Officials here view the development with real anxiety, fearing another China-Japan crisis, which might involve the interests of the United States. The Chang Chiatun incident, trivial in itself, but coming on top of the strained relations ever since Japan took over Kiaochow from Germany, has been closely watched since Japan hastened to send 2,000 soldiers to the disturbed district and her cabinet in order that a satisfactory outcome depended on China.

Reports from Peking show alarm there. The prompt and unanimous acceptance of the new cabinet announced today is believed to have been a result of the seriousness of the Japanese and financial problems.

Japan's demands as published call for dismissal of Chinese officers in command of the troops at the scene of the trouble, withdrawal of the Chinese garrison, indemnification of the families of the Japanese killed, and extension of Japanese police rights to Inner Mongolia.

Actual accounts of the dispute vary. The Chinese claim it arose when Japanese soldiers attacked the Chinese garrison at Chang Chiatun and seized both the local magistracy and a Japanese merchant who had refused to obey instructions by the Chinese because bands were operating in the city. The Japanese contend the Chinese arrested the merchant illegally and fired on a small body of Japanese troops sent to investigate. About fifty Chinese and 17 Japanese troops were killed.

The secret demands made upon China to seek extension to Inner Mongolia of rights which already have been won in South Manchuria. In both places China is forbidden by the treaty of May 8, 1915, to raise a foreign loan on local taxes without Japan's consent and for that reason Japan has been unable to raise money here for the railroads.

Beyond that, however, the Japanese in South Manchuria have unlimited rights of travel, residence, trade and leasing of land, together with the right of trial before a Japanese consul in civil and criminal cases where a Japanese is defendant, the right of owning and operating a business and preference in carrying foreign advisers are sought in military, political, police or financial matters.

None of the demands as published infringe upon any right of the United States, officials think, but a report on the secret negotiations will be awaited with concern as they may conflict with the open door policy and the integrity of China, except for the possibility of American interference. It is pointed out that the Japanese are not satisfied with the status quo.

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GETTING IN SHAPE FOR ADJOURNMENT

This Session of Congress will Probably Come to Close Wednesday or Thursday.

REPUBLICANS ARE WILLING

Emergency Revenue Bill to be Passed Today—Underwood's Amendment to Lower Dye-Stuff Tariff Is Killed.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Congress is winding up its affairs for the season and planning to adjourn either Wednesday or Thursday. Republican leaders in the Senate gave assurances tonight that the emergency revenue bill, last of the big measures on the administration programme, could be passed tomorrow and House leaders predicted that conference report on amendments would be ready for disposition in both houses some time Wednesday.

Although Senator Simmons, chairman of the Finance committee, had hoped to pass the revenue bill tonight, he said there still was a good prospect of adjournment Wednesday, despite the fact that another day will have to be devoted to the measure. Democratic leaders prepared a joint resolution for adjournment Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock and Majority Leader Kitchin is planning to submit it in the House for passage tomorrow if word comes from the Senate that business can be concluded by that time.

An effort to pass the revenue bill tonight was blocked by Republicans who said they would yield for a final vote tomorrow.

Senator Underwood today made his fight against the administration plan to impose increased tariff duties on dye stuffs after the European war. The Senate sustained the administration plan 43 to 7. Senators voting against it being Bankhead, Bryan, Lane, Overman, Reed, Underwood and Vardaman, all Democrats.

Tomorrow the Senate will complete consideration of the section of the bill to create a tariff commission. It then will act on the amendment by Senator Lewis embodying the Webb bill to permit the formation of American collecting societies in foreign countries. The bill then will be ready for a final vote.

WILL BURY ZEPPELIN CREW WITH FULL MILITARY HONORS

Each Member Will be Buried in Separate Coffin in Church Yard.

London, Sept. 4.—Officers and men of the German airship destroyed Saturday night while raiding England, will be buried with full military honors. Details of the funeral have not been set, but the bodies probably will be put in separate graves in a churchyard near the spot where found after the airship fell.

Each body will be placed in an oak coffin, covered with a German flag and carried to a burial place on a gun carriage. British soldiers will compose the firing party and a British army chaplain will conduct the services.

"Every British soldier killed in action during the war," says one of the morning newspapers today, "has received the honor of a military funeral and the Allies will accord similar honors to enemy soldiers when the opportunity offers."

An inquest will be held tomorrow at Guffey. The only new development in connection with the raid comes from the east coast. It is reported that wreckage of the airship, which was seen after an airship had been found. It is believed to be part of a Zeppelin shot away by coast defense guns.

AERONAUTICAL STUDENTS TO BE TAUGHT AT HAMPTON ROADS

Nearly Half of the Men in Army Service to be Instructed There.

Newport News, Va., Sept. 4.—Capt. T. S. Baldwin, head of the Atlantic Coast aeronautical station, today announced that nearly half of the 1,000 men to be trained for service in the aviation corps of the United States regular service, will be taught here. The capacity of the station is 1,000 men.

The first of the army students are due September 15. Five of the army and navy officers to which the government has entrusted the work of reorganizing the army and navy aerial school are already studying here. They are Captains Milling and Barnes, Lieutenant Brouson, Naval Constructor Richardson and Major Mendenhall. They will be making public at this time detailed plans for the reorganization of the service.

The recruits for the aerial service will be drawn from college graduates and aviators. They will have completed the aviation course here under the supervision of flyers of the army and navy. Captain Baldwin will decide whether they are proficient enough to enter the government service.

STATUE OF LAFAYETTE

Presented to the City of Fall River, Mass.—Unveiled Yesterday.

Fall River, Mass., Sept. 4.—A bronze statue of Lafayette, presented to the city of Fall River by the Calumet Club, was unveiled today following a parade in which thousands of citizens participated. Many civic organizations, the local militia and 3,000 members of the French-American volunteer brigade, "mi-military" body, marched to Lafayette Park for the unveiling ceremony at which Ambassador Jules Jusserand, of France, delivered the principal address.

VILLAGE OF SOYECOURT IS TAKEN FROM THE GERMANS BY ANGLO-FRENCH FORCES

They Also Occupy part of the Village of Vermandovillers, South of the Somme—Heavy Fighting Again Being Waged on Russian Front—Rumanians Continue Their Advance in Transylvania and Have Taken Several More Towns.

Keeping up their strong offensive against the Germans north and south of the Somme River in France, the Anglo-French forces have again driven their lines forward and captured important German positions.

South of the Somme the village of Soyecourt and part of the village of Vermandovillers have been captured, while seemingly more important still, the French have made fresh progress east of the village of Forest, which lies one and one-half miles southeast of the railroad town of Comblis, a gain which taken with the capture of Guillemont Sunday, seemingly grants the Anglo-French forces the greatest victory. The Germans held their ground at Thiépval, north of Pozières, and near Ghinchy, but Guillemont village and the wood west of it, as well as Ghinchy, but a counter attack of the Germans won back a portion of the latter town.

Again there is heavy fighting on the front in Russia west and southwest of Lutsk and north of Zborow and near Brestany, in Galicia, with the Russians generally the aggressors.

Petrograd controverts the assertion of Berlin that the Russians obtained only local successes near Brestany, by the declaration that the Russians won a victory over the Germans here and took 2,641 prisoners. In the Carpathian region, according to Petrograd, the Russians have captured an entire series of heights and are advancing to the Hungarian frontier.

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BLOODY STRUGGLE ALONG THE SOMME

Last Word in the Horror of Modern Warfare Represented From Ghinchy Village South.

FIGHTING LASTS ALL NIGHT

With Every Action the Artillery From Both German and British Fronts Seems to Become Still More Powerful.

With the British Armies in France, Sept. 4; (via London)—As fuller reports come in there is general elation at army headquarters over the results of the British and French attacks against the German positions in the Somme region. A chilly, heavy rain is falling this morning drenching the German prisoners in the collecting stations and the wounded which are still being brought off the field. On most parts of the line the night was one of continuous fighting.

The Germans had massed great forces against the British and responded with prompt counter attacks under cover of an immense volume of artillery fire. British guns laid their sheets of crashing blasts on the German trenches up to the very moment that the British infantry reached the trenches and no sooner were the infantry in the German trenches than the Germans turned the same kind of a hurricane on them.

With every action the artillery seems to become more powerful and accurate and the infantry more cunning in working in co-operation with the guns. The wounded who sought cover in shell craters were killed by another shell.

The British carried their light machine guns forward and with these faced the German counter attack under cover of their artillery. At Mouquet farm the Australians had to yield part of the ground gained with the Germans at last accounts in possession of the farm itself.

One of the most formidable German counter attacks struck southward, trying to catch the British who had entered Ghinchy in the flank. Guillemont lost, Ghinchy became all the more vital to the Germans. They brought up reinforcements. So did the British. Amidst these runs with the guns of neither side daring to fire because of fear of hitting their own men, machine guns and rifles rattled where they were kept up a terrific volume of shell fire on Guillemont.

The army heads are gratified because south of Ghinchy to the Somme despite immense German preparation the attack has been the most complete success of any since the offensive began on July 4 when the British broke the German second line.

CHIEF TOWN OF GERMAN EAST AFRICA SURRENDERS

London, Sept. 4, (4:05 p. m.)—It is announced officially that Dar-Es-Salaam, the chief town of German East Africa, surrendered at 9 o'clock this morning. The statement says that British naval forces in co-operation with troops from Bagamoyo and Saadani are now occupying Dar-Es-Salaam.

South of the German East Africa, the British forces continue. The southern main body, the statement adds, is in the region of Matombo on the eastern slopes of the Uguru mountains. Lieutenant-Colonel Vandeventer, in command of the British forces, has reached Kilumi, 42 miles south of Kilossa. Brigadier-General Northey, at head of another force, has occupied Suwara.

BLOODY BATTLE GOING ON ON BOTH SIDES OF SOMME

Paris, Sept. 4.—"A bloody battle is going on on both banks of the Somme," says the official communication issued by the war office tonight. "The French have made fresh progress east of the village of Forest, north of the river, and on the south have successfully attacked objectives along a front of 20 kilometers (12 1/2 miles) from Barleux to Chaunoy."

"The village of Soyecourt was brilliantly carried by assault, as well as part of Vermandovillers. More than 5,000 prisoners have been taken north and south of the Somme in the last two days."

"Progress also was made on the right bank of the Meuse (Verdun sector) in the Fleury region."

KILLED BY HIS 'WIFE'

G. C. Barker, of Dallas, Texas, Is Shot by a Woman.

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 4.—G. C. Barker, employed as assistant superintendent of a Dallas candy and cracker company, was shot and killed here today as he emerged from his office by a woman who said she was Mrs. G. C. Barker's wife. The name Barker, she said, was assumed.

Mrs. Barker was taken into custody. The police say she admits the shooting but declines to make a statement other than to say that she and her husband formerly lived at Chattanooga, Tenn. Charges of murder were filed against Mrs. Barker late today.

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Baseball
Boating
Yachting
Angling

SPORTS

Motoring
Aeronautics
Tennis
Golf, Etc.ATHLETICS LOSE TWO
GAMES TO SENATORSWashington Easily Won Both of
the Labor Day Contests.Tigers Capture Two Games From the
Indians—Red Sox and Yankees
Divide Honors—White Sox
Beat Browns Twice.RESULTS YESTERDAY
At New York 1-4; Boston 7-3.
At Washington 2-3; Philadelphia 0-4.
At Detroit 7-11; Cleveland 5-3.
At St. Louis 2-1; Chicago 3-2.WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
New York at Washington.
Boston at Philadelphia.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS	W	L	Pct.
Boston	78	54	.587
Detroit	74	57	.566
Chicago	72	58	.554
New York	68	61	.527
St. Louis	68	62	.526
Cleveland	68	63	.519
Washington	64	63	.504
Philadelphia	28	98	.223

Detroit, Sept. 4.—By defeating Cleveland, 11 to 8 this afternoon, after winning from the Indians 7 to 0 this forenoon, Detroit crept within one game of first place. Both of the local contests were slugging matches. Detroit won the second game in the sixth inning by scoring six runs off Morton and Bagby. Cleveland.....000 011 100—5 10 1
Detroit.....511 000 000—11 8 3
S. Coveleskie, Lambeth, Gould, Beebe, Boehling and O'Neill; Boland, James, H. Coveleskie, DuBuc and Spencer.

Afternoon game:
Cleveland.....000 001 040—8 10 2
Detroit.....200 106 022—11 12 2
Morton, Bagby, Lambeth, Boehling and O'Neill and Colman; Mitchell, Borland, Daus and Stange.

THE BATTING LEADERS.

This Speaker was the only one of the leading batsmen of the two major leagues who got into action in the Labor Day double headers to hold his own. His three hits in eight times at bat resulting in his average remaining at .379. Ty Cobb lost three points with two hits in nine times up, while Joe Jackson won back six points by his failure to hit safely in eight attempts. In the National League Hal Chase assumed the lead after the morning games as Jake Daubert got back into the Brooklyn line-up and failed to hit safely in four times up, but Chase's failure to come through in eight trials in the afternoon double header again put Daubert in the lead. Robertson, the only other National League leader to play, made but one hit in ten times at bat, and lost five points. The standing:

Player	A.B.	H.	P.C.
Speaker	459	174	.379
Cobb	454	167	.368
Daubert	379	122	.322

NEW YORK, September 4.—New York broke even with Boston today by defeating the world's champions this afternoon before a large crowd, 4 to 1. Boston won the morning game, 7 to 1, when Russell blew up in the seventh, Hooper hitting a homer.

In the afternoon game the Red Sox scored three runs on Shawkey, in the ninth inning, tying the score. New York won in its half, on May's wild pitch.

Morning game:
Boston.....000 010 510—7 11 0
New York.....000 000 100—1 5 4
Ruth and Carrigan; Russell, Love and Walters.

Afternoon game:
Boston.....000 000 003—3 6 2
New York.....002 000 001—4 7 3
Leonard, Grege, Wyckoff, Mays and Carrigan, Thomas, Cady; Shawkey and Alexander.

St. Louis, September 4.—Chicago outplayed St. Louis today, taking both games, 3 to 2 and 2 to 1. Although St. Louis outlasted Chicago, 10 to 6, in the first game, and were helped by three errors, the hits came at inopportune times.

The second game was a pitchers' battle between Bens and Plank, the former striking out ten men.

First game:
Chicago.....000 001 110—3 8 2
St. Louis.....100 000 001—2 10 0
Williams and Schalk; Koob, Davenport and Hartley.

Second game:
Chicago.....110 000 000—2 6 0
St. Louis.....000 010 000—1 3 4
Bens and Schalk; Plank and Ruml.

CHARLOTTE WINS SECOND

HALF IN CAROLINA LEAGUE

Will Play Post-Season Series With Asheville for Pennant.

Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 4.—The 1916 season of the Carolina baseball league closed with today's games. Charlotte ended the second half of the season in first place, Durham second, Winston-Salem third, Greensboro fourth, Asheville fifth and Raleigh in last place. Asheville won the first half of the pennant race and Asheville and Charlotte will play a post-season series for the pennant.

Welsh is Awarded
The World's TitleDEFEATS CHARLEY WHITE ON
POINTS IN 20-ROUND BOUT—MEN
IN CLINCHES TWO-THIRDS
OF THE TIME.

Ringside, Colorado Springs, Colo., Sept. 4.—At the end of 20 rounds of fighting Referee Billy Roche this afternoon awarded Champion Freddie Welsh, of England, the world's title. While the crowd evidently figured the challenger, Charley White, of Chicago, had a slight edge throughout the bout, the champion's friends went into a frenzy of delight when his hand was lifted in the air as a token of victory. The men were in the clinches two-thirds of the time and there was but little clean open boxing.

Charley White, the challenger, stepped into the ring at 3:47 p. m. He was cheered as he walked down the aisle. A moment later Welsh climbed through the ropes.

Round 1—Welsh led twice with left to head and they went into a clinch. A series of clinches followed without any being struck. White landed left to head. White sent right to head and left to body and Welsh clinched. The men did a lot of clinching, the crowd calling for them to break away. White sent left hook to stomach. Round even.

Round 2—Welsh led right to head and White blocked and they ran into a long clinch. Welsh kept pounding White on the kidneys in the clinches. White sent two rights and lefts to the head and body. Welsh held on. The men were in a clinch most of the round. White doing the most effective work.

Round 3—They ran into a clinch and wrestled about the ring. White sent right and left hooks to body and repeated as Welsh missed left to head. Few clean blows were struck. Rich being kept busy prying the men apart. Even round.

Round 4—Again the men ran right into a clinch. White missed left hook to head. White sent right and left hooks to body and had Welsh against the ropes. Welsh missed left to head. White countered with right to Welsh's ear. All the fighting has been in White's corner. White's round.

Round 5—They added for an opening and clinched. White blocked several blows to body. Welsh kept pounding the kidneys in the clinches and White's back is all red as the result. The champion is keeping close to the ropes with his back to the sun. White landed left to body. Even round.

Round 6—Roche tried to keep the men from continual clinching. White rushed Welsh to ropes and landed right and left to body. He repeated. White sent left hook to ear. Welsh blocked straight left to head. They were in a clinch at the bell. White's round.

Round 7—White drove left hook to stomach. White sent right to jaw and clinched. Welsh sent left to chin. White sent right to chin and then to body. Shade for White.

Round 8—They continued their clinching. Welsh landed lightly to nose and clinched. Welsh tapped to nose lightly again. White sent several upper cuts to jaw as gong rang. Even round.

Round 9—They alternated between prying for openings and running into clinches. Welsh blocked several blows as he backed towards the ropes. Welsh sent left to neck. White landed left to head.

Round 10—Welsh drove left to jaw. White sent right to head. White upper cut to stomach and followed with left hook to ear. White's round.

Round 11—White sent left to head and Welsh drove right to nose pushing White back. The fighting has been practically even thus far, what lead White had being only a shade. White roughed Welsh to head and body and the champion clinched. White's round.

Round 12—White sent right and left upper cut to body in the clinch. White rocked Welsh with stiff upper cut to chin. Welsh has been missing and running into a clinch. White rocked Welsh with right and left jabs to the head, but the champion covered cleverly. White's round.

Round 13—Both men worked hard for an opening. White sent hand right to jaw. Welsh's few blows seemed to lack steam. They were in the usual clinch when the round ended. White's round.

Round 14—White assumed the aggressive and landed right and left to body and head and Welsh saved himself by clinching. A right to jaw forced Welsh to corner. White drove left twice to stomach. White landed right on cheek. White's round.

Round 15—White landed two rights to body and left to jaw and Welsh saved himself by clinching. Both men wrestled around the ring. Welsh beat the greater under. Even round.

Round 16—Welsh landed twice to nose with straight lefts and repeated to head. Welsh sent three left hooks to mouth in quick succession. It was Welsh's first round of the fight.

Round 17—Neither man has hurt the other and neither shows any marks of the contest. Welsh landed left to jaw. White drove right and left to body but Welsh blocked as he backed away. Even round.

Round 18—The crowd called to the men to fight instead of clinching all the time. Neither man getting in a blow. White slammed right and left hooks to body and head and Welsh held to save himself. White's round.

Round 19—The crowd roared its encouragement to White. White drove right and left to body, as Welsh's continued holding angered him. White's round.

Round 20—White sent right to jaw and body. White landed a hard right upper cut to stomach. Welsh kept running into the clinches. White landed left to jaw. White sent right upper cut to body and saved. Welsh ran into a clinch.

PIRATES TWICE SHUT
OUT THE CARDINALSCooper's Pitching Enabled Pitts-
burg to Take Last Game.Phillies Twice Defeat Superbas Before
Record Crowds—Braves Take
First Place—Cubs and Reds
Split Even.RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Philadelphia 2-10; Brooklyn 1-3.
At Pittsburgh 7-2; St. Louis 0-0.
At Boston 3-0; New York 2-3.
At Chicago 8-8; Cincinnati 0-10.WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Philadelphia at Boston.
Brooklyn at New York.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.
Cincinnati at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS	W	L	Pct.
Boston	71	48	.597
Brooklyn	72	49	.595
Philadelphia	72	49	.595
New York	58	60	.493
Pittsburgh	58	67	.464
Chicago	59	70	.458
St. Louis	56	73	.434
Cincinnati	50	80	.385

Pittsburgh, Sept. 4.—Pittsburgh shut out St. Louis twice here today, the score in the morning game being 7 to 0 and the afternoon game 2 to 0. Effective pitching on the part of Cooper enabled the Pirates to win the final contest. Bunched hits and errors were responsible for the morning victory.

St. Louis.....000 000 000—0 4 4
Pittsburgh.....100 212 102—7 0 0
Meadows, Warmouth and Gonzales and Brottem; E. Miller and Fischer and Schmidt.

Afternoon game:
St. Louis.....000 000 000—0 4 2
Pittsburgh.....100 010 002—3 0 1
Watson, Lotz and Gonzales; Cooper and Fischer.

Philadelphia, Sept. 4.—Before crowds which broke the record for a holiday at the National League Park here, Philadelphia today twice defeated Brooklyn 2 to 1 in the morning and 10 to 3 in the afternoon. Rixey was hard hit in the afternoon but he was given grand support. Home run drives by Luderus and Killifer gave Philadelphia the victory in the morning.

Brooklyn.....000 000 001—1 7 2
Philadelphia.....001 100 003—9 10 1
Marquard, Pfeffer, Rucker and Myers and Miller; Mayer, Alexander and Killifer.

Afternoon game:
Brooklyn.....100 020 000—3 10 4
Philadelphia.....503 001 007—10 10 0
Cheney, Smith, Dell, Appleton, Mails and Miller; Rixey and Killifer, Adams.

Boston, Sept. 4.—Boston went into first place today by splitting even with New York, while Brooklyn was losing twice to Philadelphia. The Braves won the morning game 3 to 2, while New York the afternoon contest 3 to 2. The morning game was a pitchers' battle between Hughes and Tesreau.

The afternoon game was loosely played, each team making six errors. The Giants won in the eighth with two hits, two errors, a pass and a sacrifice. New York.....000 010 100—2 7 3
Boston.....002 010 003—3 6 2
Tesreau and Rariden; Hughes and Gowdy.

Afternoon game:
New York.....010 011 041—8 11 6
Boston.....100 110 000—3 8 5
Salles, Perritt and McCarthy; Reulbach and Gowdy.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Christy Mathewson, the former idol of the New York fans and now manager of the Cincinnati Reds, and Mordecai Brown, of the famous old Cub machine, met on the slab today in the second game of double header here, their first meeting since 1912.

Mathewson was returned the winner 10 to 8. Chicago won the first game 10 to 8.

The veterans each received a bouquet of American beauty roses before the game.

Cincinnati.....000 000 000—0 4 0
Chicago.....200 000 100—10 10 0
Schulz and Wingo; Prendergast and Archer.

Second game:
Cincinnati.....012 122 011—10 19 1
Chicago.....201 020 003—3 18 2
Mathewson and Wingo; Brown and Wilson.

WAKE FOREST TO SOON
START FOOTBALL CAMPAIGN

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wake Forest, N. C., Sept. 4.—The 1916 football campaign was inaugurated at Wake Forest on September 3 under the supervision of Head Coach Billings. The recent announcement of the selection of "Mig" Billings as coach to succeed Dr. Wilbur C. Smith, is very gratifying to the supporters and followers of the gridiron team at the Baptist institution.

The new coach has been prominently identified with athletics at Wake Forest ever since his entrance to the college six years ago. In addition to being a star performer on both the basketball and baseball teams, captaining the football team his freshman year, and for the three succeeding years he directed every play of the team from quarterback, proving one of the best field generals the Baptists have ever had. Billings further shows his versatility by coaching the baseball team the past spring. In spite of a marked scarcity of material he whipped a team into shape that finished the season well above the 500 mark. Coach Billings arrived on the hill late Friday afternoon and will be on hand to greet candidates when they report Tuesday afternoon.

C. W. Parker, of Woodland, N. C., who will captain the team this season, is expected to arrive Monday. He is the nucleus around which the coach will have to build his backfield, for the team is hard hit by the loss of several of last year's halfbacks, and its quarterback, Billings.

George Chaney No
Match For KilbaneFEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION SUCCESSFULLY DEFENDS HIS TITLE
IN THREE ROUNDS OF SCHEDULED 15-ROUND BOUT

Ring Side, Cedar Point, O., Sept. 4.—Johnny Kilbane, of Cleveland, featherweight champion of the world, successfully defended his title when near the end of the third round of a scheduled 15-round bout here today, when he sent a crashing right hook to the jaw of George Chaney, the Baltimore challenger.

Up to the third round Chaney put up an even battle, but Kilbane drew first blood in the start of the final round. The champion cleverly broke through Chaney's guard and battered his way to victory. The crowning blow landed directly on the point of Chaney's chin and the Baltimore lad hit the canvas and lay still while Referee Hinkle counted the fatal ten seconds. Time was called at 5:03 p. m. eastern time. Jimmy Dunn, of Cleveland, was chief second for Kilbane and Henry Bietzer, of Baltimore, acted in the same capacity for Chaney.

Round 1—After less than a minute of sparring, time was called because one of Kilbane's gloves broke. They resumed again at 5:08 p. m. Kilbane led with left to the face and followed in the next exchange with right to head. Chaney sent left to body and the round ended when Chaney sent another left to body. Round even.

Round 2—Kilbane opened the second round with a left to the jaw and cleverly sidestepped a left swing by Chaney. The men broke even on a fast mix-up but just before the bell rang Kilbane shot a left to Chaney's jaw. Kilbane was using a left jaw effectively while Chaney played for the jaw.

Round 3—Chaney carried the fight into Kilbane's corner and Referee Hinkle three times broke clinches. Kilbane scored a left jab to the jaw at the end of the third but Chaney played successfully for the champion's kidney. When they broke for the fourth time in the round Kilbane sent across a right hook to the jaw which landed the challenger face downward on the canvas.

Referee Hinkle telling off the seconds with his right hand, strove vainly with his left to rouse the prostrate Chaney. The challenger could not respond and the champion was declared winner.

Both principals in the featherweight championship bout entered the ring at 3:54 p. m. It was announced that both men weighed in under 122 pounds. On the toss for corners, Chaney won, giving Kilbane the low sipping sun in his eyes.

Matt Hinkel, of Cleveland, promoter and referee of the bout, entered the ring at 4 p. m.

MINOR LEAGUES.

CAROLINA LEAGUE

At Charlotte 3-3; Asheville 5-0.
At Greensboro 4; Winston-Salem 5.
At Winston-Salem 5; Greensboro 3.
At Durham 4; Raleigh 3.
At Raleigh 4; Durham 7.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE

At Portsmouth 0-6; Rocky Mount 2-0.
At Petersburg 1-4; Newport News 7-2.
No other scheduled.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

At Charleston 2-7; Jacksonville 4-1.
At Columbus 0-14; Macon 1-11.
At Columbia 6-1; Augusta 8-6.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

At Atlanta 11-4; New Orleans 4-0.
At Little Rock 11; Memphis 4.
At Birmingham 6-1; Mobile 3-0.
At Chattanooga 4-3; Nashville 5-4.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At Louisville 6-8; Toledo 2-3.
At Minneapolis 11-8; St. Paul 9-7.
At Indianapolis 4-1; Columbus 3-3.
At Kansas City 4-4; Milwaukee 7-2.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

At Buffalo 2-3; Montreal 0-1.
At Providence 2-2; Richmond 1-7.
At Toronto 5-2; Rochester 4-0.
At Newark 1-4; Baltimore 2-5.

JOHNSTON AND WILLIAMS
WIN WAY INTO SINGLES.

Forest Hills, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Master racket wielders from the East and West will contest here tomorrow for the 1916 National singles tennis championship. R. Norris Williams, 2nd, of Philadelphia, and William M. Johnston, of San Francisco, sole survivors of 138 players who entered the tournament a week ago, won their places today in the finals by defeating, respectively, Clarence C. Griffith, of San Francisco, and R. Lindley Murray, of California, and New York. Williams eliminated Griffith 6-3, 6-3, 6-3, and Johnston checked Murray's flight 6-2, 6-3, 6-1.

In neither case was the victor severely pressed and the playing of the two matches consumed less than two hours. The winners gave a remarkable exhibition of steady, well rounded tennis which was all the more remarkable in view of the weather conditions.

BROOKLYN NATIONALS LOSE
FIRST PLACE TO BOSTON.

New York, Sept. 4.—Labor Day, the last holiday of the baseball season, brought a change in the leadership of the National Baseball League race. Brooklyn, the leader since early in May, lost first place to Boston and went into a tie with Philadelphia for second place. Less than two points separate the three teams in what is probably the closest race in the National League in a decade.

Philadelphia won two games from Brooklyn today while Boston broke even in two games against New York in Boston. Both Philadelphia and Brooklyn have won 72 games and lost 49.

MAX SMITH AND TOM GILLIKIN
WERE TO WRESTLE LAST NIGHT

New Bern, N. C., Sept. 4.—Labor Day is being celebrated here by a suspension of business on the part of a number of the local manufacturing enterprises, the banks and the postoffice. The chief event on the programme for the day is a big wrestling match at Ghent Park tonight between Max Smith, the local favorite, and Tom Gillikin, the Carteret county giant. This event gives promise of being largely attended and will doubtless prove of real interest.

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AITKIN WINS 300-MILE
SWEEPSTAKE AT CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, Sept. 4.—Johnny Aitken assumed a lead over Rario Rest, at the 18th mile and won the first annual 300-mile sweepstakes at the new Sharonville track today. Wilbur D'Alena was second while Frank Galvin, far behind, drew down third money.

One accident marred the day's sport. Gilbert Anderson, while in the stretch run of the 18th-mile, skidded and dived into the fence. His car turned turtle and he was dangerously injured. His mechanic, Bert Shields, suffered a fracture of the thigh and internal injuries and his recovery is doubtful.

Aitken's time for the race was three hours, five minutes, 27 seconds; an average of 97.04 miles per hour.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

THEATRICAL

All is in readiness for the beginning of the biggest season of vaudeville and musical comedy that Wilmington amusement lovers have ever had the privilege of enjoying, the Victoria opening up next Monday for a season of record breaking shows of popularity winning merit such as the city has never had before.

Johnson's Musical Comedy and Vaudeville Company carry more special effects and more musical numbers, with electrical effects than any popular priced show which has ever toured the South. A total of 15 song hits is a feature of their show. Guy Johnson as blackface has never been excelled, and George West and Harry Myers, who do many turns together, are real enough Keith vaudeville performers, and it is said their performance alone is worth the price of admission.

Grace Hutchison, fascinating and attractive, captured the house by a storm by her rendition of "Broadway Blues" on the opening show and there is no artist ever seen in Wilmington who can put the "Blues" across with as good effect. Eleven people and pianist complete the Johnson show and every member of the company is indeed a real artist.

"The Eternal Sapho"—Royal. It is indeed a rare treat for patrons of the Royal today in which they will have their first opportunity of seeing Theda Bara, the famous Vampire woman, in three months, appearing in her latest and greatest William Fox feature, "The Eternal Sapho". It took three times as long to make this feature as any other feature in which this peerless star of the photoplay has ever starred, consequently, Theda Bara has been missing from the screen for the past three months. Usually, one of her releases is put out every month.

Therefore, patrons of the Royal today should expect the very greatest feature in which this great "Vampire woman" of the films has ever appeared, six startlingly realistic reels of sensations are required to tell the story of "The Eternal Sapho" and supporting Miss Bara is a notable array of his William Fox favorites which make of it one of the very strongest all-star casts ever seen in a similar photoplay. "The Eternal Sapho" being in six solid reels, performance on regular feature will begin promptly on opening time for every show and patrons should be on time at scheduled hour in order not to miss the beginning.

Great Line-Up at the Grand. It is indeed a great line-up of all-star features on the Grand bill today. First comes the fourth great chapter of that great Kalem serial, "Stingaree" starring Marin Sais and True Boardman in the leading roles. This is one of the greatest interest-sustaining serials yet projected. You all want to know what is the final outcome of Stingaree's defiance to all mankind, in which he endeavors to exact toll from society for wrongs which it has visited upon him—a former social lion, and which have forced him to become an outlaw. And beautiful Marin Sais in the leading role is one of the most enjoyable pictures of the season. Then comes another one of those great railroad thrillers, "The Hazards of Helen," starring dare devil Helen Gibson in the leading roles. It does seem that Helen is trying to find the quickest way to end her life and one reviewer has changed the name of the series to "The What Can I Do to Get Killed" series. You don't want to miss this great railroad serial.

These great quarter million dollar Dorsey Expedition pictures are on also today, the current reel taking the audience for a view of "The Riddle of the World," a famous sphinx of Egypt. You want to see this great educational feature. And still more, "A Woman's Eyes" is a single reel drama starring that strong dramatic star, Harry Carey, in the leading role with Olive Fuller Golden. It is a great five-reel bill for a litany today.

"Peg O' the Ring" Today. Just another great chapter of that rousing serial hit, "Peg O' the Ring," heads today's big bill of movies at the Bijou. And it is just another sensation, with thrills and surprises piling up over each other in rapid succession all the way through the entire two-reel photoplay. Grace Cunard and Francis Ford never did better acting than their superb interpretation of the stirring roles in this great chapter of this serial wonderful. From the first to the last minute that it is on the screen it is filled with big, startling, surprising things, and you will wish there were two more reels when it is over; that's just how good it is.

Matt Moore and Jane Gail present the greatest heart interest drama ever thrown on a screen anywhere, "Ashamed of the Old Folks," a rapid fire succession of heart throbs and tears that will soften the heart of marble. "Ashamed of the Old Folks" tells a heart rending story, were it not for the finally happy ending that comes and leaves everyone with a good feeling as they go home. It is a superb story and is in the hands of these two stars, with all-star supporting cast, it should prove one of the most popular releases of the entire week.

Bluebird Photoplays Coming. You have read a whole lot of good advertising in the Saturday Evening Post recently relative to "Bluebird Photoplays" and there has been created thereby a great demand for this new brand of photoplay that has for its motto "The Play's the Thing—Not the Star." So the Grand theatre has made arrangements to present tomorrow the second Bluebird photoplay ever presented in Wilmington. "Undine," presented at the Royal was the first one seen here.

So tomorrow at the Grand will be presented that massive six-reel spectacle, "The Grip of Jealousy," and while it did not have to have a great star to put it across, in this case it is graced by one of Blomond's greatest beauties, pretty Louise Lovely, Filmdom's most bewitching darling is what they call pretty Louise Lovely, and it is certainly a treat to see this winsome miss enacting the leading role in this strong photoplay feature.

So tomorrow, Bluebird Day, at the Grand.

ORGANIZE COMMUNITY FAIR

Meeting Held at Moss Hill, Near Kinston, Last Night. (Special Star Correspondence.) Kinston, N. C., Sept. 4.—A meeting was held at Moss Hill, near here, last night for the purpose of organizing a community fair. On Friday night a fair will be organized at Sharon. The county school authorities and agricultural board are active in the promotion of the fair, and excellent exhibits of farm products, domestic arts and school work are expected.

MRS. J. LAMBERT GAINED 17 POUNDS ON TWO BOTTLES

Took Tanlac When Friend Told That She Gained More From It Than From Doctors' Treatments. Proof Held in Last Case.

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TWO ALLEGED "TIGERS" IN BEAUFORT COUNTY ARRESTED

Naval Militia Goes to Beaufort—Other New Bern News.

(Special Star Correspondence.) New Bern, Sept. 4.—Among the alleged offenders who will face Judge H. O. Connor at the term of Federal court, to be held in Washington next month will be W. A. Barr and Richard Johnson, who were arrested a day or two ago on a capias sworn out by the grand jury at the last term of court here.

Johnson, an old, gray-haired Confederate veteran, is said to have been connected with a number of cases of the New Bern division of the North Carolina Naval Militia, in charge of Lieut. F. T. Brandt and Lieut. R. B. Fulford, left yesterday morning on board of their training ship, the Elfrida, for Morehead City, where they spent the day.

Today the Naval Reserves went over to Beaufort and will participate in the festivities being held at that place. They will leave Beaufort in the afternoon and will arrive at home tonight.

Believing that the strike of the railway trainmen would go into effect today and knowing that they could not continue to operate if this was done, the management of the John L. Roper Co. several days ago ordered their plant here, at Belhaven and at Gilmerton, Va., to close down and this was done.

Announcement was made from the company's local office today that operations would probably be resumed tomorrow, all danger of the strike having passed.

The closing down of these mills threw a number of men out of employment and the announcement that operations are to be resumed caused general gratification.

NEGRO PLEADS GUILTY

Will Jackson Sentenced for Second Degree Murder at Fayetteville. (Special Star Correspondence.) Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 4.—Will Jackson, a negro, pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree and was placed on trial in the Superior court here Saturday for the killing of Gus McLean, another negro, at Manchester in July, and was sentenced to two years on the roads by Judge E. D. Winston.

Will McArthur, tried as an accessory before the fact, was acquitted on that charge by the jury, but Judge Winston fined him \$100 for carrying a concealed weapon.

McLean was shot by Jackson in a quarrel over a cigarette at a negro church near Manchester. Jackson was defended by F. T. Bennett. McArthur was represented by Sinclair, Dye and Ray and H. L. Brothers.

LENOIR JAIL EMPTY

Is the First Time in Years It Has Been Without an Inmate.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Kinston, N. C., Sept. 4.—For the first time in years, the Lenoir county jail is without an inmate. Every cell door is open, the Salvation Army has cancelled engagements for services in the prison and a spirit of loneliness pervades the place. With the city jail also empty, this would seem an enviable state of affairs for the county to point to with pride, but on second thought it is remarked by officials that most of the jail population was moved to the county roads after a recent term of court.

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LABOR DAY OBSERVED ON ELABORATE SCALE

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(Special Star Correspondence.) Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 4.—Raleigh's observance of Labor Day was on the biggest scale in the history of organized labor in Raleigh. The stores and other places of business and the State offices, along with the banks, were closed—the greater part of the day and the labor unions participated in a big parade and mass meeting and closed the festivities with a big picnic dinner and side splitting athletic contests in the afternoon. There were a number of most creditable floats in connection with the parade, especially notable being those by the typographical union, the carpenters, the carbuilders and the pressmen. The parade was at 10:30 o'clock and terminated at the city auditorium where E. E. Britton was the master of the ceremonies for the mass meeting.

In introducing the speakers Mr. Britton made the most extensive reference to the railroad labor union operations the past few weeks in the threatened strike and the solution of the situation by President Wilson in the passage of the eight-hour law by Congress at his behest. Mr. Britton read the reference that President Wilson made in his notification speech to the share that labor organizations have had in the legislation that he featured the present administration. He stirred the most enthusiastic applause by his references to the efforts of Wilson in behalf of labor.

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In introducing the speakers Mr. Britton made the most extensive reference to the railroad labor union operations the past few weeks in the threatened strike and the solution of the situation by President Wilson in the passage of the eight-hour law by Congress at his behest. Mr. Britton read the reference that President Wilson made in his notification speech to the share that labor organizations have had in the legislation that he featured the present administration. He stirred the most enthusiastic applause by his references to the efforts of Wilson in behalf of labor.

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TOP OF THE MORNING.

Straight is the line of duty.
Curved is the line of beauty.
Follow the straight, and thou shalt
see
The curved line ever follow thee! —SELECTED.

One payroller is worth a thousand
kismetrollers.

Learning for a thing doesn't get it.
You have to go after it.

Oh, well, somebody else is studying
up some other kind of devilment right
now.

There used to be all sorts of cavort-
ing around for "reframing," but most all
of the reform we get needs that stuff
itself.

Interventionists can't prove that
they ever have intervened, for when
intervention is going on they are off
somewhere enjoying an alibi.

Cultivate a genius for manufactur-
ing. New England should not be al-
lowed to monopolize all the ideas for
making something that people have got
to buy.

A yellow jacket crawled up a fel-
low's trousers and you know the rest.
At the same time, he says, he is glad
that a yellow jacket is not as big as a
wild cat.

About the time a fellow begins to
wish he had an automobile of the pres-
ent style, somebody says that the build-
ers have sensational styles that will
soon be on the market.

A town grows in proportion to the
constructive scope of its people. It
can't go backward or forward with-
out corresponding with the movements
of its people. Whichever way they
move the town is sure to move.

The Hon. Chas. W. Fairbanks has
been notified of his nomination for Vice
President and it is said that he is going
to make a campaign drive. If you see
the ice wagon on a drive, it's not the
ice wagon but the Hon. Fairbanks.

According to Florida papers, Miami
complaints that too few clothes are
worn on the nearby beaches. The in-
creased number of arrivals at such re-
sorts will indicate that there must
be some foundation for such a com-
plaint.

When the Georgia legislature was in
session this summer, the report got out
that Atlanta would raise \$500,000 to
keep the capital from being moved to
Macon. The legislature must have be-
lieved the report, as Macon didn't get
the capital.

In his speech of acceptance, Presi-
dent Wilson said that the Republi-
can party is "a practical and moral
failure." May be it's a good thing
some ladies were present when the
President got to expressing his opin-
ion of the G. O. P.

A fashion note states that the chick
style of ladies' footwear this fall will
be champagne colored shoes. Cham-
pagne has its own distinctive color,
of course, but no editor in dry terri-
tory can be expected to remember far
enough back to describe it.

The Atlanta Constitution says hyste-
ria is unnecessary, but it would be aw-
fully prosaic for some folks if they
just had to go through life without
throwing a few fits about something or
other. We know some who are fret-
ting terribly about the way the strike
has been settled, but the truth is they
were not in it on either side. The
strike was averted before it affected
innocent bystanders who would have
raised more sand than the Brother-
hoods and the railroads put together.
If any congratulations have to be han-
ded around, the innocent bystanders are
entitled to them—if they only knew
it.

NEW HANOVER'S 3,000 MAJORITY

SLOGAN

"Three Thousand Democratic Major-
ity" is the slogan which the Demo-
cratic executive committee of New Han-
over county adopted at a recent meet-
ing to prepare for the campaign. The
Star commends the executive commit-
tee for its enthusiastic aim and for its
inspiring initiative in this great work
for the party and the county, and es-
pecially is the committee to be con-
gratulated upon having secured such
an able and powerful speaker as the
Hon. Thomas W. Bickett, who is to
be in Wilmington tomorrow night to
fire the first gun for a Democratic vic-
tory.

It is both desirable and necessary
that New Hanover should give her very
biggest majority in November. There
is no reason why the purpose and aspi-
ration of the executive committee
should not be fully realized, if every
good citizen and true man will do his
sacred duty to his county and State.
Because of indifference or neglect or
overwhelming confidence in a custo-
mary Democratic majority, there are
hundreds of good citizens in Wilming-
ton and New Hanover county who care-
lessly, each election year, neglect the
plain duty of a citizen to register and
vote for the good of society and the
safety of the public.

This should not be so, for every
man should be bound by his obliga-
tion and responsibility as a citizen, up-
on whom his State and society must
necessarily depend. No man can do
justice to his conscience when he neg-
lects his public duty and lives only for
himself. Above all, we should not live
in apparent disregard of the fact that
freedom and the almost unrestricted
right of suffrage were the vital things
for which our forefathers battled in
1776. We cannot be true to them and
their cause if we neglect that for which
they fought and died, if as their pos-
terity and as the beneficiaries of the
American independence they won, we
show our indifference towards the
great privileges they secured for us
at the greatest earthly sacrifice that
they could make.

The Democratic party is the suc-
cessor of the heroes of 1776 and it typi-
fies the principles for which they fought
and made a free and independent coun-
try. The record of the party in the
State and nation is ample reason why
a true American should make it his
duty to cast his ballot to maintain the
eternal principles established by eight
years of revolution.

There are at least two potent reasons
that warrant a large registration and
vote for the coming election: First,
our representation at the State Demo-
cratic convention is based upon the
gubernatorial vote, so it behooves New
Hanover to increase its representation
in that convention, which it can so
easily do, for it would give her more
standing and command more respect
for the county all over the State. Sec-
ond, it will give greater encourage-
ment to the youth of our county and
stimulate them to take keener interest
in public affairs.

A FITTING CELEBRATION.

No man who viewed the big Labor
Day parade in Wilmington yesterday
could but feel proud of a Democratic
country in which freedom rules su-
preme and in which the man who earns
his living while creating wealth for
the country, is honored because he is
recognized as the bone and sinew of
the life of the community.

The parade typified a spirit that
stands not for leisurely contemplation
but for the real concrete force of work
well done. Recognizing the princi-
ples for which they stand as being the
same for which the labor organizations
have been formed to promote, the frat-
ernal orders turned out in large num-
bers to pay homage to the spirit of
work. The Rotary Club, with its usual
zeal for promoting everything that
makes for the upbuilding of the city,
also participated in the pageant.

The Confederate Veterans and the
Wilmington Light Infantry also joined
in the celebration with enthusiasm and
the presence of the gray-clad soldiers
of the Sixties was indeed a fine thing
for which the laboring men of this
community feel particularly grateful,
for they are no less patriotic than were
the men who fought in the War Be-
tween the States.

The exercises yesterday afternoon at
Wrightsville Beach were of that high
plane which always characterizes the
activities of the labor organizations in
Wilmington. The throngs joined in
the celebration of the holiday in truly
Democratic style and the day was im-
mensely enjoyed as well as proving
highly profitable.

No city in the South feels more
grateful to the laboring men for what
they are doing towards upbuilding the
city than does Wilmington, nor are
there people anywhere who are more
ready to pay tribute to the real build-
ers of material success.

The Wilmington Trades Council, un-
der whose auspices the celebration
was held, deserves the highest com-
mendation for the successful manner in
which the exercises were carried out.
No celebration here in recent years has
been conducted in a more becoming
style.

The strike would have struck ev-
eryone of us. Even last week, several
days before the date set for the strike,
several Norfolk industries shut up shop
and hundreds of people became jobless
before they hardly realized it. A
condition like that all over America,
for only a few days would have been
ruinous beyond the comprehension of
the ablest economist in America.

OUR NEXT GOVERNOR.

The New Hanover Democracy will
have the rare pleasure of greeting the
next Governor of North Carolina to-
morrow night at 8 o'clock when the
Hon. Thomas W. Bickett will deliver a
speech that will mark the opening of
the Democratic campaign in this coun-
ty. He will speak at the Academy of
Music and the Democrats of this sec-
tion will give a rousing welcome to
the distinguished gentleman who is to
carry the Democratic banner to a sure
triumph on the 7th of next November.

It will be a great pleasure for our
people to hear Mr. Bickett and to dem-
onstrate to him the spirit and loyalty
of a people in whose hearts the inspira-
tion now and always is North Carolina
first. They will not be disappointed in
the Carolinian chosen by the great Tar
Heel Democracy to occupy the guberna-
torial chair at Raleigh for the next
four years, beginning in January next.
He is not only an ardent Democrat
himself, but he is a man of extraordi-
nary ability and is a gifted and elo-
quent speaker who possesses all the
genius for inspiring us with our sacred
duty to North Carolina. He is intense-
ly loyal to our beloved State himself
and he will be a speaking example of
that type of North Carolinian in whose
hands the State has nothing to fear.

It is hardly necessary to say that Mr.
Bickett has known what it is to battle
for a great cause and that he has never
failed his State when she had to rely
upon his voice or service in her behalf.
The loyal people of the Cape Fear feel
a peculiar pride in the next Governor,
for he is one of the State's most loyal
sons, the kind into whose hands the
Good Old North State can be trusted by
those who love her best and who are
patriotically jealous of her honor. Not
alone will we be thrilled with a true
blue Carolinian's eloquence but we will
be admonished by one who always has
upheld and battled for the great princi-
ples of Democracy, especially when our
State was held fast in the grip of Re-
publican abomination and was humili-
ated by the blight and profligacy and
infamy of fusion.

Thomas W. Bickett has been true to
North Carolina when she most needed
her true sons, and to her service he
has unselfishly devoted the unlimited
perseverance and fidelity that has char-
acterized his public and private life.
He comes to us now to warn us against
trusting for a moment the brand of Re-
publicanism which always has meant
extravagance, ruin and debauchery in
North Carolina and which is the sinis-
ter ally of the National Republican
party whose dominance means special
privileges for the few and a govern-
ment for plutocracy and trusts. It is
not necessary to recall Mr. Bickett's
career in North Carolina, beyond say-
ing that as the State's Attorney Gen-
eral he has exercised the great ability,
trustworthiness and loyalty that he
gave to his State, and party when
North Carolina was retrieved from the
slime of fusion these eighteen years
ago.

A GREAT INDUSTRY, AS NORFOLK

SEES OUR PACKING HOUSE.

The able Norfolk Virginian-Pilot
notes in a leading editorial the fact
that a packing house establishment is
assured for Wilmington. That paper
recognizes the dual advantage that it
will be as an industry for Wilmington
and all of Eastern North Carolina as
well. The far-reaching potentiality of
a meat packing industry for develop-
ing our agricultural interests is im-
pressively emphasized by the Virgin-
ian-Pilot, which goes on to say:

"Not only Wilmington, but the whole
of Eastern North Carolina is to be con-
gratulated upon the prospect of an
early establishment of a packing plant
in that city. There are several factors
which go to make the Sound country
in particular and the South Atlantic sea-
board in general especially adapted to
stock raising; chief of which are mild-
ness of climate, which assures out-
doors feeding practically the whole
year round, and an abundance of com-
paratively cheap land. The only draw-
back heretofore has been the cattle
tick and this, we are assured on the
authority of experts connected with
the Bureau of Animal Industry at
Washington, will have been completely
eliminated from the territory in ques-
tion within the next two years.

"A home market such as will be con-
stituted by the proposed packing plant
should at once stimulate the general
farmers to increase the number of cat-
tle and hogs raised for sale, which in-
crease could be effected at compara-
tively little expense by properly utiliz-
ing products now largely permitted to
go to waste, and prove an incentive to
stock raising on a large scale and as a
business in itself. While the proposed
packing plant will mean a great deal
to Wilmington, it will mean a great
deal more to the surrounding section.
"Norfolk ought to have a similar
plant; in fact, it is rather surprising
that local enterprise has not long ago
recognized and improved the opportu-
nity presented in that direction. One
effective way to upbuild a city is to
build up the agricultural territory tribu-
tary to it and in the case of Norfolk
a packing plant would appreciably con-
tribute to that end."

The business men of Wilmington
long ago became thoroughly convinced
along the same line that our valued
contemporary so ably points out, and
they are steadily pursuing the purpose
and determination to establish a mod-
ern packing house as a constructive en-
terprise for this section. Wilming-
ton's forward movement in this con-
nection is receiving an immense amount
of publicity in publications in other
states and it is being pointed to as an
inspiring example for other portions
of the South.

This country's two ex-Presidents
don't speak, but as they belong to the
Republican party, they must know
something on each other. If not, the
one who won't "make up" ought to
quit being as little as he is.

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ORGANIZE TRUCKERS' ASSOCIATION

To the Editor of The Star:

Your correspondent has written to-
day for two weeks. Since my last let-
ter we have perfected the Bladenboro
Truckers' Association. Prof. W. R.
Camp and the S. A. L. Industrial agent
assisted in organizing under the State
and Federal government plan. If the
officers and members are faithful it
will be of benefit to the community.
Mr. J. C. Edwards is president and Mr.
F. G. Kelly, secretary and treasurer.
They are each wide-awake good farm-
ers who do things as well as make
plans.

Did those directors of Lumberton not
act small in the matter of naming their
hotel?

Prof. Smith and his teachers are here
and school will open Monday. Profes-
sor Smith has made a good impression
on the patrons for the few days he has
been here and I trust we may have a
good school.

The thing that concerns us now is
keeping Democracy at the White House
for the next four years. There are
many things to claim the attention of
the people. They may become too con-
fident. Hate to hear some of our
young college men say, "Oh, well, pol-
itics are so rotten they don't interest
me." The truth is they are faulty.
They could well afford to give some
extraordinary names in an official
of the day. They just read the funny
paper or some time novel. If they
would read more they would know
more than text books.

We hear critics every day criticizing
something when they are totally ig-
norant of the facts. I know one thing
sure, we Democrats here in Bladen are
not as active as we should be and it is
our duty to get active. We are not
all right in North Carolina. We
are to wake up. Can't our leaders start
the band.
E. D. McLEAN,
Bladenboro, N. C., Sept. 2.

CURRENT COMMENT.

As an example of "shameful" and
"ignoble" avoidance of the duty of a
President of the United States to pro-
tect American citizens from murder-
ous attacks by foreigners, the follow-
ing extraordinary statement is being
circulated from the President to the gov-
ernor of Arizona should prove exceed-
ingly effective in the hands of Mr.
Hughes while he is on the stump: "The
President, for reasons of state, cannot
order the troops to cross the border, but I
must ask you and the local authorities,
in case the same danger recurs, to direct
the people of Douglas to place them-
selves where bullets cannot reach them
and thus avoid casualty." The Presi-
dent of the United States, in that mes-
sage, was not confronted with the ques-
tion of protecting the lives of the
American citizens in Mexico; the only
question was the protection of the
lives of American citizens from Mexi-
can bullets in the United States. In-
stead of removing the cause of the
killing of our citizens in their own
country, the President directed that
Americans citizens resident in Douglas,
Ariz., should hide in their cellars when
Mexican bullets were flying about!
How can Mr. Hughes contemplate such
a performance except with the "deepest
shame"? Yet that was the per-
formance not of Woodrow Wilson, but
of the last Republican President, Wil-
liam H. Taft, on April 15, 1911.—Spring-
field Republican.

Catawba county farmers, particularly
the leading dairymen, are thinking a
good deal of the sugar beet idea and
many calls have been made on the
county department of agriculture for
literature. County Agent Homer H. B.
Mask has laid out a scheme to interest
quite a number of farmers in the beet,
and get them to plant a half acre each
next year. The government will then
be asked to test the product for sugar,
and if the experiment is favorable, Cata-
wba will most certainly go into the
beet business. The idea is fascinating
even to business men who have no in-
formation on the subject at all, and
they will be ready to lend a hand in
the development of another great
source of wealth for the county. If an
O. K. is placed on the beet for this ses-
sion, Mr. Mask points out that in any
event, the farmers who plant the half
acres next year will lose nothing, be-
cause they will have several tons of the
finest sort of cattle feed for their
stock. This phase of the subject is
what has interested the dairymen in
the beets. They want a crop that will
yield a by-product which will prove
good feed for dairy cattle. The beet
gives them that. It values a feed
as high and in the West where the
beets are grown extensively, this by-
product rises to importance. The exten-
sive culture of sweet potatoes in Cata-
wba has in a way prepared the coun-
ty to undertake the production of beets,
because the setting out of slips is the
same, the cultivation is largely the
same, and the character of soil demand-
ed by the beet is much the same as that
in which the potato thrives. Harvest-
ing would be a bit different. A co-

ARE NOT CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS.

To the Editor of The Star:

An article appearing in your issue of
Monday, September 4th with reference
to a case of infantile paralysis at Del-
gado contains an error which I am sure
you will be glad to correct. The article
states that as the parents of the child
were Christian Scientists a physician was
not summoned until the case be-
came serious. The statement that the
parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lyman, are
Christian Scientists is a mistake.

There has been a Christian Science
organization in Wilmington for the
past 15 years, but Mr. and Mrs. Lyman
are not now, nor have they ever been
members. Mr. Lyman, when interviewed,
stated that he was not a Christian
Scientist, that he knew nothing about
Christian Science, and that his child
had not had Christian Science treat-
ment. He also stated that when the
child became sick medicine was admin-
istered and the case then left with God
for healing, up to the time the phys-
ician was called in. Their method of
treating the disease may be in strict
accord with their religious beliefs, but
it is very far from being in accord with
the teaching and practice of Christian
Science, therefore the article is unfair
to Mr. and Mrs. Lyman and to Christian
Science.

Christian Scientists do not adminis-
ter drugs, nor use other material means
in the cure of the sick. They rely
solely upon that Power which all Chris-
tian people admit, in their theories, to
be omnipotent. If God is all power
there can be no power in an inanimate
drug to assist Him in the healing work.
Christ Jesus taught and demonstrated
the power of Divine Love to heal all
manner of sickness without the use of
drugs, and He sent the 70 forth to
preach the gospel, as He had taught
them, saying "These signs shall follow
them that believe: In my name shall
they cast out devils, they shall speak
with new tongues; they shall take up
serpents; and if they drink any deadly
thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall
lay hands on the sick, and they shall
recover." The record is that the 70
returned with joy, saying "Lord, even
the devils are subject unto us through
thy name."

CHADBOURN SCHOOL OPENS

Rev. Mr. Daniels Visiting in Virginia.

Chadboorn, N. C., Sept. 4.—Rev. G. M.
Daniels, the highly esteemed Methodist
pastor at this place, is visiting at his
wife's former home in Virginia, where
Mrs. Daniels has been spending sev-
eral weeks with her father and other
relatives. Mr. H. S. McGirt, of Wil-
mington, supplied Mr. Daniels' place
in the Methodist church and delighted
the congregation with his original dis-
courses. One has but to hear Mr. Mc-
Girt to appreciate him. His lecture
last night to the league was a feast
of wit and deep pathos combined.
Accompanying him are Mrs. McGirt
and daughter, Elene. They are stop-
ping with relatives in town.

The high school opens here today
with a full corps of teachers and
Prof. C. W. Williams as principal.
Mrs. W. P. Campbell, wife of the
Baptist pastor, who has just returned
from Burlington hospital, where she
underwent a serious operation. Her
many friends will be glad to learn she
is very much improved.

Mr. J. J. Anderson, of Wilmington,
who has been spending several days
with his wife at the home of her
mother, Mrs. Lena McDonald, return-
ed home Sunday. Mrs. Anderson will
return in a few days, being much im-
proved in health.
The Civic League will meet this af-
ternoon with Mrs. J. B. Bardin. The
meetings have been very irregular, owing
to the continued illness of the pres-
ident, but the ladies are rallying to-
gether and preparing some feature of
entertainment.

FIRST SALE AT KINSTON

Colored Man Is Paid 15 1-4 Cents Per

Pound For It.

(Special Star Correspondence).
Kinston, N. C., Sept. 4.—Dallas Kor-
negay, colored, has the honor of hav-
ing sold the first bale of new cotton
here. T. H. Britt was the purchaser.
He paid Kornegay 15 1-4 cents a
pound for the bale. The colored grower
is a tenant on the plantation of Dr.
James M. Parrott. Deliveries of three
bales sold at 15 cents are reported.

HELPFUL HAIR HINTS

Worthy the Attention of Everyone Who

Would Avoid Dandruff, Itching Scalp,

Gray Hairs and Baldness.

"What will stop my hair coming
out? Reply: Parisian Sage is the best
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druff.

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falling out, and makes it easy to dress
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can get a bottle of this inexpensive
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lamy and druggists everywhere, with
guarantee of satisfaction, or money
refunded.

to the Scriptures, (p. 53), that "The
highest earthly representative of God,
speaking of human ability to reflect di-
vine power, prophetically said to His
disciples, speaking not for their day
only, but for all time: 'He that believ-
eth on me, the works that I do shall
he do also'; and, 'These signs shall fol-
low them that believe.'"

Christian Scientists are law abiding.
A Christian Science practitioner, whose
patient develops a contagious disease,
is required to report the case to the
health department for such precau-
tionary and restrictive measures as the
law requires. Had the case referred to
been under the care of a Christian Sci-
ence practitioner it would have been
reported as soon as its contagious
character became known.

Christian Science accords to others
that degree of charity which it expects,
viz: The privilege of its adherents to
worship God according to their under-
standing, and to rely upon Him, not as
the greatest power, but as the only
power in heaven or on earth.

EDWARD BERNARD MOSS.

Wilmington, Sept. 4, 1916.
(The statement made in the story in
The Star was based upon information
furnished by a physician and was not
intended to reflect upon anyone, cer-
tainly not upon the doctrine of Chris-
tian Science. The information was given
as a possible explanation and was
intended to present facts.—News Edi-
tor).

EASTERN CAROLINA CIRCUIT

OF FAIRS IS ORGANIZED

Organization Perfected at Goldsboro—

C. A. Johnson, Tarboro, President

(Special Star Correspondence).

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 4.—Announce-
ment is made here of the organiza-
tion at Goldsboro of the Eastern Caro-
lina Circuit of Fairs, with these officers:
President, C. A. Johnson, of Tarboro;
first vice-president, G. R. Horne, of
Rocky Mount; second vice-president, M.
R. Beaman, of Goldsboro; secretary and
treasurer, W. C. Knox, of Kinston. At
the meeting in Goldsboro, suggested by
Herman Canady, secretary of the local
fair, the Kinston, Goldsboro, Tarboro
and Rocky Mount fair associations were
represented, the latter two by proxy.
Fayetteville, Clinton and Wilmington
and other cities having or contemplating
organizing fairs will be invited to
join. The purposes of the association
are to co-operate in conducting the
fairs of the section in such a way as
not to conflict with the exhibits and
turbulence the best possible racing
Owners of horses can by this means get
in from one to two months' in the
section with short distances between ap-
pointments.

TEN BECOME NATURALIZED

Take Oath Before Judge Boyd in U. S.

Court at Greensboro.

(Special Star Telegram).

Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 4.—Ten re-
sidents of the State today became nat-
uralized citizens by taking the oath be-
fore Judge Boyd in United States
court. Eight were Englishmen, one
Russian and one German. They were
too strongly for "America first" to have
any trouble between the Englishmen
and the lone German.

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found most effective. Accept no sub-
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or money refunded by leading drug-
gists.

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When the blood (the power fluid of your
body) is properly nourished, your body in-
variably radiates signs of glowing health—
But it is so easy to neglect its importance,
and blood disease of malignant form,
like Rheumatism, Catarrh, Malaria, Scrofu-
lous poisons and skin diseases take hold
before we are aware—the result of negli-
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these undesirable tenants from your body.
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LABOR DAY FEATURED BY MAMMOTH PARADE

Mr. James F. Barrett Tells of Labor's Great Achievements

Addresses by Prominent Speakers, Athletic Carnival, Musical and Dancing Programme Make up Chief Activities of Day.

Featured by the greatest Labor Day parade in the history of the city, the general committee in charge of the celebration festivities in Wilmington and at Wrightsville Beach yesterday made good its promise to make the day one of the most notable affairs of its kind in the South.

After weeks of arduous effort Mr. J. H. Curtis, chairman of the Labor Day committee, and his hosts of co-workers provided a programme which lasted from 9:30 a. m. to late at night.

Dr. H. Q. Alexander, president of the State Farmers' Union, who was on the programme for an address, was unavoidably detained at his home at Charlotte, on account of illness.

The mammoth parade through the city streets in which more than 1,000 persons participated was witnessed by probably 10,000 interested spectators who lined the sidewalks and windows of residences along the line of march.

Praises President Wilson
Mr. James F. Barrett, of Asheville, the orator of the day, although himself a Republican, took occasion in his address to express the gratitude of the laboring men to President Woodrow Wilson for his appointment of Louis D. Brandeis to the Supreme Court, whom whom he declared was "labor's first real friend to occupy a seat on that high tribunal." He also praised President Wilson for his courageous action in placing his seal of approval on the 8-hour work day for 40,000 railway employees. Mr. Barrett was introduced by Mr. L. R. Jordan, State and District Organizer of the American Federation of Labor, of this city.

Mr. J. H. Curtis acted as master of ceremonies at the exercises at Lumina, where in addition to the addresses a fine musical programme was carried out. The address of welcome on behalf of Wrightsville was delivered by Mayor Thomas H. Wright, who extended a cordial greeting to the members of Wilmington and out-of-town labor organizations and their friends. He declared that they would always receive a hearty welcome at Wrightsville Beach.

Robert Ruark, city attorney of Wilmington, who delivered the address of welcome on behalf of Wilmington, read a telegram from Mayor P. Q. Moore, who is now in Baltimore, expressing the latter's regret at being unable to attend the celebration and wishing the labor organizations a most successful day. Mr. Ruark referred to the great progress which the labor movement has made in the last few years, in the matter of securing shorter hours and workmen's compensation, and declared that if they maintained the high ideals of the movement, still greater progress was in store for them in the years that are to come.

Mr. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., Democratic nominee for the State Legislature, made a short address in which he declared that the labor movement in this country constituted a great instrumentality for the noble purposes for which the labor movement stands. For the public good, the speaker advised the laboring men to see that these high standards and ideals are maintained.

The musical programme included the rendition of "Italia" and "Carmen" by a mixed quartet composed of Messrs. George S. Boykin, Mrs. Frank Muse and Messrs. Charles L. Schulken and W. B. Muse, both of which numbers were very heartily applauded. Attractive solos were given by Messrs. Muse and Schulken. Miss Camille Chastan was pianist. At the close of the regular programme of exercises, Don Richardson's orchestra rendered an attractive programme of dance music both in the afternoon and evening.

The Big Parade.
Headed by a platoon of policemen under the command of Sergeant J. S. Lane and the Hanover Concert Band, the Legion of Orphans and the marchers followed through the streets of Wilmington yesterday morning in one of the grandest Labor Day pageants that the city has ever witnessed. Crowds of spectators thronged the streets through the entire length of their march, and gazed with admiration on this column of working men that bore eloquent testimony to the forward march of Wilmington's progress and industry.

The parade formed on Third street, opposite the City Hall, at 9 o'clock, and moved up Third to Red Cross, thence westward to Front, and thence up the main artery of Wilmington's business district to Castle. Castle street then provided the line of march to Fifth, where the column was shifted to Market, on which they advanced to Ninth and then doubled back, and were dismissed in front of their starting point, the City Hall.

A feature of the parade and one that gave it a picturesque touch was the great number of gaily decorated floats. Nearly every organization represented in the pageant, and several business houses in addition had appropriate floats in the line of march. While every one of the floats was individually a thing of beauty, and was decorated so as to give some characteristic of the organization that it represented, three of them stood out above the others, each for a separate reason.

As a perfect reproduction of the idea that it was intended to convey, and from a standpoint of the picturesque, the Red Men's float, representing a typical Indian village, was probably the best of the entire collection. Nothing was missing from it that would tend to make it a perfect likeness. Even the sage old chieftain, sitting before his tepee with his long stemmed pipe of peace between his lips, the redskin maiden of whose beauty the legends have about, and the ever present dog of the Indian village, all gazed solemnly at the spectators from beneath the leafy canopy of their retreat.

For its unusual and appropriate beauty, the old-fashioned country pig sty with two fat black porkers lolling within, mounted on a wagon drawn by a mule, and labeled "I am rooting for the Packing House," must be handed the palm. This was a contribution of the Wilmington Rotary Club.

The Rotary Club's other contribution representing a magnificent steel bridge spanning the waters of the Cape Fear, and connecting New Hanover with Brunswick was a prize winner for time.

OCEANIC CLOSES THE SEASON

All Hotels on Wrightsville Beach Are Now Closed But Many Cottages Are Still Open.

While the Oceanic hotel will close for the season this morning, being the last of the hostelry at Wrightsville Beach to shut its doors, there are many cottages and boarding houses which will continue open until October 1st or later. The Seashore hotel closed its season on last Friday, while the Hanover Inn closed Saturday. The season continued later this summer than usual and would have been even more extended had it not been for the threatened railroad strike.

In view of the rather unprecedented conditions with which they have had to contend during the past summer, all the hotel proprietors express themselves as highly pleased with the results. Their first obstacle came when the street car strike was declared in Wilmington on July 4th, but as cars were kept running to the beach continuously this did not seriously interfere with their business. However, a few days later came the floods which tied up all the railroad lines in the South for ten days or more. Then came the threatened railroad strike which kept many people at home who otherwise would have come late in the season to enjoy the comforts of the beach.

Mr. Chas. E. Hooper, who has been the popular manager of the Oceanic during the past summer, expressed himself yesterday as highly pleased with the season and expressed confidence that it will not be long until Wrightsville Beach is known from coast to coast as an ideal place at which to spend a summer vacation. Mr. Hooper will be at the Oceanic for several weeks looking after some repairs that are to be made and will then take a trip North in order to rest up after a strenuous summer.

Mr. C. C. Harrison, who has been the efficient chief clerk at the Oceanic, will spend a short while at his home in Washington, D. C., before going to Augusta, Ga., where he will be connected with the Albion. Mr. Tom Stranahan, a member of the clerical force, has resumed his studies at the University of North Carolina, while Mr. Ralph Henscheid, the mail clerk, leaves this morning for Charlotte to attend the Horner Military Academy. Mr. Robert Davis will go to Houston, Texas, where he will be connected with a large cotton office. Mr. Frank Reese, the night clerk, will remain in Wilmington for a while.

Mr. Robert Houston, day clerk, and Mr. Marion M. Hedrick, of the office force, will take a short vacation before taking up other duties. William Polite, who as head waiter had done his full share toward seeing that every guest received the best service possible, is going to Charlotte to act in a similar capacity at the Selwyn. Polite has enough friends in the traveling fraternity so that he is thoroughly at home anywhere. Dan B. Latta, head bellman, is also going to Charlotte.

Mr. C. T. McDonald, of Raleigh, came down to the beach early in the summer and liked it so well that he couldn't resist the temptation to come back before it closed and he was the last guest to be registered out at the Oceanic.

lines and suggestiveness. It made a silent appeal to the citizens of Wilmington for the materialization of one of the city's greatest needs. Immediately following the band, came the Wilmington Light Infantry, under Capt. J. B. Lynch. The soldier boys made a fine appearance, and their alignment, especially while in column of platoons was unusually good. Behind them in automobiles came the gray clad survivors of the War Between the States, under the command of General George S. Boykin, who was marching in line but with still sparkling eyes, riding behind the khaki garbed fighting men of today.

Wilmington fire ladders looking spick and span with their brightly polished auto trucks and hose wagons, followed the care containing the old soldiers.

After the Rotary Club, and Packing House floats, came the members of the Cherokee and Eyoeta Tribes, the two local organizations of Red Men. With their war paint on, and brandishing their tomahawks and war clubs, they caused numerous unwary pickaninies to seek shelter, when they advanced toward them in the scolding rally.

The Wilmington series of Eagles followed their float in automobiles. The float with its huge spread eagle was at once appropriate and handsome. It was mounted on an automobile, and completely covered the car from end to end. The driver was as invisible as the engineer of the Deutschland.

The little red school house, filled with eager childish faces was particularly impressive. It was the silent and eloquent plea for the teachings set forth in the motto and watchword of the J. O. U. A. M. "We stand for the public school." A squadron of this strong order followed.

"The Admiral Dewey," a miniature battleship, was the emblem of the Marine Engineers. Another attractive float was that occupied by Uncle Sam, Miss Columbia, representatives of the Army and Navy, and two coy maidens, presumably meant to portray cosmopolitanism, and bearing the motto, "U. S. First" was the offering of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty.

Other attractive floats were those of the local Typographical Union, Wilmington Trades Council, filled with a bevy of attractive young ladies, the Street Car Union made in the form of a trolley car with decorated trolley pole, Sterchi-Bancroft Co., and Wilmington Furniture Co., representing appropriate designs, Belk-Williams showing the superiority of a widely known brand of overalls, B. R. C. of A. neatly and handsomely decorated, and the Queen City Cycle Co., ornamented with gaily decorated wheels.

The Marine Engineers and Typos, together with the Technical Employees rode in cars, in the parade, as did the Bookbinders. The post of honor, that of guarding the rear, was assigned to the B. R. C. of A. who marched on foot in a squad formation each carrying a miniature American flag.

The parade was in every way a big success, and was enthusiastically greeted by all who saw it. It was of unusual length for a Labor Day pageant, and took some 15 minutes to pass a given point. Mr. J. H. Curtis and his assistants as well as the entire labor organization of Wilmington, are to be congratulated on the showing made in the parade.

Athletic Programme.
The afternoon's athletic carnival opened with the chase of the greased pig. It was not much of a chase, however, for before the lard slickened razor

CARNIVAL FOR PLAYGROUNDS

City Council Gives Permission With Provision That Government is to Give Its Consent.

A carnival with no less than ten different shows will be held at the Robert Strange playgrounds the last week in September for the benefit of the Loyal Boys' Club, if the government gives permission for the use of the premises there, according to a decision reached by City Council at its regular weekly meeting last night.

Mr. F. W. Gerken, secretary of the boys' organization, which is endeavoring to secure sufficient funds with which to equip the playground with apparatus, accompanied by a representative of the carnival company, appeared before Council last night and asked permission to have the carnival on the playground. However, as the use of the government site was secured with the expressed purpose of using it exclusively for a playground, doubt was expressed by City Attorney Robert Ruark as to whether or not Council had a right to give such permission. It was decided to give the permission for holding the carnival but to leave the question of a location open.

Mr. Gerken presented a communication signed by a number of citizens living in the vicinity of the playground, stating their willingness to have the carnival held there. Mr. Gerken said that a total of \$263 has already been raised by the Loyal Boys' club for the purpose of buying playground apparatus for the use of the younger children.

City Attorney Ruark ruled that Council did not have the right to waive the payment of the city license tax of \$300 a week to the city engineer and the city electrician. It was decided that Council could, if it saw fit, later appropriate the money for improving the playground.

Councilman B. A. Merritt, mayor pro tem, presided at the meeting last night in the absence of Councilman Moore.

All members of the board were present except Councilman Bradshaw. Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, kept a record of the proceedings. At the request of Councilman McCaig, the installation of four street lights at Delgado and one street light on Wrightsville avenue was authorized, the exact location to be left at the discretion of the city engineer and the city electrician.

Councilman McCaig also asked that the people of the Manhattan suburb be given a ditch through one block in order that proper drainage for that region may be provided and this was authorized.

Councilman Jones was authorized to make several sewerage extensions, the total cost of which will be less than \$100.

A petition for a deep water well at Third and Harnett streets was acted upon favorably with the understanding that those already provided for shall be given precedence. The present policy is to sink one deep well each month. Licenses for two meat markets were granted.

CO-OPERATIVE GROCERY CO.

TO ELECT OFFICERS TONIGHT

M. B. Cavanaugh, Temporary Chairman, Explains Object of Movement.

A meeting of those interested in the formation of the Co-Operative Grocery Company in Wilmington at which permanent officers are to be elected will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at No. 415 North Sixth street.

"The benefits the stockholders will derive," says Mr. M. B. Cavanaugh, who has been elected to the position of temporary chairman, "are that they will get their groceries at cost plus operating expenses."

"The general public will be served at prevailing prices," he continued, "and the business will be conducted on a thoroughly efficient basis and in a sanitary building. It is hoped to establish such a store as will be a credit to Wilmington."

"I am sure if the people of Wilmington could realize the service they will be able to get at the store at reduced cost, they would not hesitate in giving their support to the movement."

STURGEON JUMPED ABOARD

Mammoth Fish Unable to Overcome Curiosity Meets Ignominious End.

The curiosity of a mammoth sturgeon in the Cape Fear river caused the big fish to meet an ignominious end Sunday night. The monster, which attracted a lighter in slip 14 at the Atlantic Coast Line terminals and an open hatch looked inviting. When Capt. W. A. Bordeaux, the owner of the vessel, went down to the terminals yesterday morning he found the fish already dead in the boat. The fish was already dead.

It required the services of three stalwart men to throw the fish overboard and Captain Bordeaux is confident that it weighed no less than 300 pounds. Sturgeons have a habit of jumping up out of the water and Captain Bordeaux is unable to account for the fish being in the boat unless it jumped through the open hatch.

TWO BLAZES YESTERDAY

Firemen Have Work as Well as Play

On Labor Day. The fire department was called out twice yesterday to extinguish two small blazes. The first alarm was turned in by telephone, shortly before 2 o'clock, and reported that a frame dwelling, owned by Mr. E. E. Keith, an occupied by Mr. E. T. Grisham at No. 409 Smith street was blazing merrily. The department responded promptly and extinguished it with the chemical engine. The fire originated from a chimney spark.

The second alarm was turned in from Box 18, and was another slight roof blaze caused by a chimney spark, this time in the cottage occupied by Hattie Sanders, colored, at No. 309 Brunswick street. Little damage was done.

TO START NEW PAPER

The Trade Journal Will be Organ of Labor Organizations Here.

Announcement has been made that The Trades Journal will be the name of a new weekly paper to be established in Wilmington on or about October 1st which will endeavor to publish all State news in labor circles which will prove interesting and instructive. The new paper will be printed by the Pittman-McCull Co., of this city, and will be edited by local labor leaders.

According to the announcement The Trades Journal has been endorsed by the State Federation of Labor and by the Wilmington Trades Council. It is to be published once a week and will contain 16 pages. The subscription price will be \$1 a year.

NEARLY \$40,000 SUBSCRIBED

Towards Capital of Packing House, According to Mr. Greer-To Elect Directors Next Week.

In the neighborhood of \$40,000 of the \$100,000 which is being raised in Wilmington and adjoining counties for the establishment of a packing plant here, has already been subscribed, according to a statement made last night by Mr. John W. Greer, who returned Sunday morning from Moultrie, Ga., to resume the campaign for additional subscriptions. This campaign, it is stated, will be pushed vigorously until the entire amount of capital named is obtained.

A meeting will be held the latter part of next week to organize the company and elect directors and other officers. Immediately following this meeting an application will be made to the Secretary of State at Raleigh for a charter for the packing house company.

In the interest of the packing house, Messrs. J. W. Greer, W. W. Love, I. W. Cooper, L. B. Sasser and County Farm Demonstrator J. F. Herring went up to Jacksonville on the train yesterday morning. Mr. Greer addressed a large and enthusiastic gathering of farmers and business men of Onslow county, who assembled at the county court house at Jacksonville. Subscriptions amounting to \$2,000 were subscribed by those present and the indications are that as much as \$5,000 will be raised before the campaign in Onslow county is completed.

The campaign for additional subscriptions will be continued this week both in Wilmington and in adjoining counties, and the response which is being made by the public in the way of subscriptions seems to indicate that final steps will be taken before many days to equip Wilmington's newest industrial establishment.

MARINE LAW SUSPENDED

According to Executive Order Received at Local Customs House

Of interest to shipping circles in Wilmington is an executive order recently made by the President of the United States and a copy of which was received yesterday by Col. Walker Taylor, Collector of Customs in Wilmington, which suspends under certain conditions the law requiring watch officers of vessels of the United States to be citizens of this country. The order which is now in effect reads as follows:

"In pursuance of the authority conferred upon the President of the United States by Section 2 of the Act approved August 13, 1914, entitled 'An Act to provide for the admission of foreign-built ships to American registry for the foreign trade, and for other purposes,' it is hereby ordered:

"1. That the provisions of the law prescribing that the watch officers of vessels of the United States registered for foreign trade shall be citizens of the United States, are hereby suspended so far and for such length of time as is herein provided, namely: The said provisions shall not apply to any such foreign-built ships which have been admitted to the United States registry under said act, and which have declared their intention to become citizens of the United States and watch officers of such ships who, within six months from this date, shall declare their intention to become citizens shall be entitled to serve on foreign-built ships so registered until the time shall have expired within which they may become such citizens under their declaration and shall be eligible for promotion upon any foreign-built ship so registered.

"2. That the provisions of law requiring survey, inspection and measurement of vessels of the United States, of foreign-built ships admitted to United States registry under said act are hereby suspended so far and for such length of time as is herein provided, namely: The said provisions shall not apply to any such foreign-built ships during the period of one year from this date provided the Secretary of Commerce is satisfied in the case of any such ship that the ship is safe and seaworthy and that proper effort is being made to comply with the said provisions."

ITALIAN STEAMER IN PORT

Carries Part Cargo of Steel Rails From Baltimore for Genoa.

The Italian steamer Dora Baltea, Captain Glavette, master, arrived at the wharf here yesterday, and is docked at the Wilmington Commercial Company. The Dora Baltea is a ship of 2,617 tons and carries a cargo of 5,000 tons of steel rails from Baltimore to Genoa. She is consigned to Heide and Company, agents, and will complete her cargo at this port, presumably with cotton.

Numerous rumors concerning this boat were afloat last night. One stated that she was lying in the harbor without orders, while another was to the effect that she had proceeded to this port under mistaken orders and that her real destination was Wilmington, Del. However, at a late hour last night she was at the Wilmington Commercial Company's dock, and according to a statement by Mr. Walter Smallbones, of Heide & Co. she is consigned to his company.

GO TO GOLDBORO TODAY

Wilmington Juniors to Attend Annual Meeting of State Council.

Representatives of the two Wilmington Councils of the Junior Order United American Mechanics will leave this morning for Goldboro to attend the annual meeting of the State Council, which will be convened in that city tonight. The delegation from this city will be headed by Mr. Edward Register, who is district deputy for the State Council.

George Washington Council will be represented by Messrs. A. W. Branch, J. T. Eagle and W. W. Galloway, while Messrs. Woodus Keilum, B. Frank Brittain, Jr., and Walter E. Yopp will attend as delegates from Jeff Davis Council.

RICHARDSON LEAVES

Popular Orchestra Director Will Visit Relatives for a Few Days Before Starting on a Tour of the Principal Cities of the State with his orchestra which has just completed its third season at Wrightsville Beach. The orchestra will make its tour under the auspices of the State Division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Mr. Richardson, who is visiting relatives in Brunswick, Ga., will join her husband later.

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"GET TOGETHER" SERVICE.

Members of Bladen Street Methodist Church to Meet Tonight.

A "Get Together" meeting will be held at the church tonight at 8 o'clock by the members of Bladen Street Methodist church and as business of importance is to be attended to, it is hoped that every member will be present. Following the business meeting there will be an enjoyable social given which will include a special musical programme consisting of anthems by the choir, selections by a quartette, duets, solos and several readings.

SHOOTING AFFRAY LAST NIGHT.

Will Brown, Colored, Takes a Shot at Will Wood.

Will Wood, colored, was shot and slightly wounded in the side by Will Brown, also colored, at No. 302 South Eighth street, about 10 o'clock last night. Wood was removed to the James Walker Memorial Hospital where his wound was pronounced as not being serious. Brown had not been apprehended at a late hour last night.

The shooting is alleged to have been the outcome of domestic troubles. A warrant was issued for Brown and officers were making a search for him last night.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 1, A. F. & A. M.

Emergent communication this (Tuesday) evening, at Masonic Temple, for work in the degree of MASTER MASON.

1st Session given at 8:15 o'clock.

SUPPER AT 7:30 O'CLOCK.

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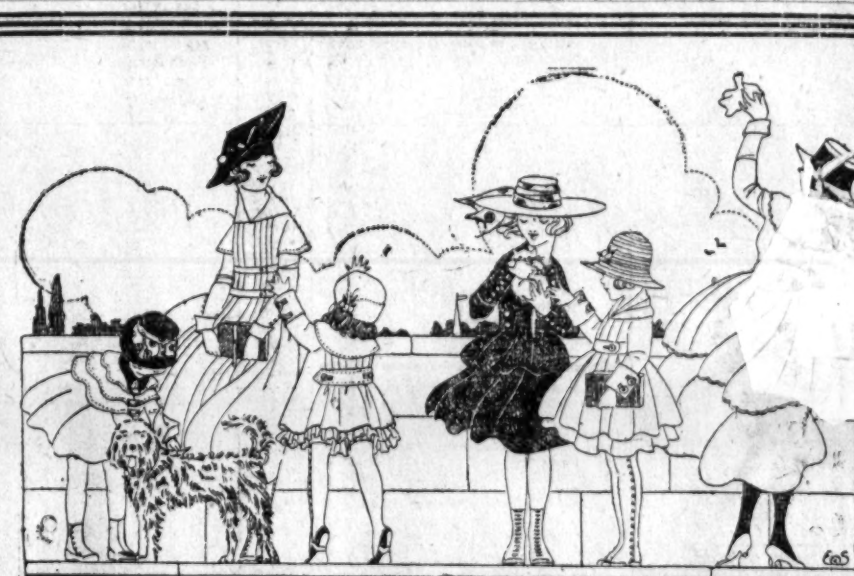
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Annie McKay, who spent the summer in Hendersonville, has returned home.

Miss Jennie Bundy, of Wallace, spent yesterday in the city, a guest at The Orton.

Miss Katherine King has returned home after a short visit to relatives at Fayetteville.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Cameron, of Cameron, spent yesterday in the city, guests at The Imperial.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Sprunt, who spent the summer on Wrightsville Beach, have returned to the city.

Mrs. J. D. Meares and Mrs. M. B. Sikes of Hallsboro were among those registered at The Imperial yesterday.

Master Russell Elwood Walton, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Walton, returned Sunday from a visit of six weeks at Jacksonville, N. C.

Mrs. L. C. Robertson, Jr., has gone to Boardman, where she will spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dasher, Miss Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Adkins, composed a party from Southport, who were registered at The Orton yesterday.

Mrs. Theodore Smallbones and little daughter, Mary Haywood, of Savannah, Ga., are here visiting Mr. Smallbones' mother, Mrs. H. G. Smallbones, Sr.

Annie, the nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Walton, returned Sunday from a visit of six weeks with relatives in Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Silas Sheets returned last night from New York. This season Mrs. Sheets will be connected with the millinery establishment of Mrs. C. W. Leighton.

Mr. W. W. Boddie, manager of the Orton Cigar and News Stand, left Saturday night for Durham, N. C., where he visited relatives and friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan W. Newkirk, Jr., have returned to their home in Atlanta, after a visit to Mrs. Newkirk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. King, at Wrightsville Beach.

Mrs. Theodore Bill and little daughter, Theresa, of Charleston, S. C., spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wilder. Mrs. Bill is a sister of Mr. Wilder.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Fifth Avenue Methodist church will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Miss Etta Hewlett, corner Fifth and Church streets.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold their regular meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Baptist church. All members of the Union are urged to be present to discuss plans for the State convention to be held in this city in October.

Miss Augusta Boykin, of this city, one of the winners in the recent popularity contest conducted here, and who was given a trip to Canada and elsewhere with the other winners, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Boykin at Hamlet on her way back home.

The many friends of Mrs. George Lynch regret very much that she left Friday night to join her husband in Toledo, Ohio, where Mr. Lynch has taken a position with the Wine Construction Co. They will be greatly missed by numerous friends but will have the best wishes of all as they go to their new home.

TO FORM CREDIT UNION.

Permanent organization will be effected at Scott's Hill.

A permanent organization of the Scott's Hill credit union, the first to be formed in the county, will be effected at a meeting of farmers and others interested, to be held at the home of Mr. G. A. Huggins, on Monday night, September 4th, at 8 o'clock.

The organization committee consists of Messrs. L. A. Cavil, J. H. Southernland, W. T. Canady, J. T. Culbreth and V. E. Sidbury. This committee will make its recommendations tonight of men for appointment to the board of directors. The object of the union is to secure for its members an opportunity to secure money on which to conduct their farming operations at a low rate of interest.

GENERAL HOLIDAY OBSERVED IN WILMINGTON YESTERDAY

More Than Three Thousand People Went to Wrightsville Beach.

A general holiday was observed in Wilmington yesterday with the county and government offices closed while practically all the stores and other business houses observed a half holiday. More than 3,000 people went down to Wrightsville Beach for the Labor Day celebration while hundreds of others went to Carolina Beach and other nearby resorts for a day of rest and recreation.

No accidents of any consequence were reported and the day was one of general quietness. The Midwater Power Company handled the crowds in the afternoon with quickness and dispatch, the cars being operated on schedule time.

MRS. ZILPHIA BIGGS DEAD.

Aged Woman Passed Away Last Night at Residence—Funeral Today.

Mrs. Zilphia Biggs, 66 years old, died last night at 11:30 o'clock at her residence, No. 115 Marsteller street, following an extended illness.

The funeral services for Mrs. Biggs will be held at her late residence this afternoon at 4 o'clock, following which interment will be made at Bellevue cemetery.

Many a Lady is Beautiful all but her skin; and nobody has ever told her how easy it is to put beauty on the skin. Beauty on the skin is MAGNOLIA BALM. Just try it today. 75 cents at Drugstore or by mail. Sample Free. Lyon Manufacturing Co., 43 South Fifth Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

—Mr. J. B. Dickinson, who has been to Norfolk on a business trip, has returned home.

—Among the arrivals at The Hotel Imperial yesterday were: G. T. Men-set, Southport; J. G. Wells, Monroe; C. W. Carter, Rocky Mount; W. B. Davis, H. E. Rabb, Caswell; J. C. Newsum, Sloop Point.

—Among the arrivals at The Hotel Wilmington yesterday were: W. M. Shuford, Morganton; R. F. Williams, Roseboro; Otto L. Claude, Gustave Dopp, Fort Caswell; A. L. Foscutt, Mayville; E. W. Godwin, Jr., Point Caswell; J. E. Wilson, Stedman.

—Among those who were registered at The Orton yesterday are: E. J. Hill, Warsaw; J. E. Porter, Whiteville; Randolph Duffy, Catherine Lake; A. A. Davis, Lumberton; Nathan O'Berry, Goldsboro; J. F. Bussells, Southport; B. F. Walnright, Morehead City; Frank Barnes, Bolton; C. M. Watson, H. T. Drake, Fayetteville.

LOCAL DOTS

—Mr. F. P. Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Montgomery, of No. 719 Princess street, will leave this morning for Raleigh, where he will enter A. & M. College. Mr. Montgomery will take the mechanical engineering course.

—Those who think that we need a bigger navy should take a peep at the bluejackets in the Norfolk Navy Yard, according to Fire Chief Charles Schnibben, who has just returned from a trip to Providence, Boston and other North-east cities. Mr. Schnibben thinks that there were enough sailors in Norfolk to ease the mind of the most rabid advocate of a bigger navy.

LOCAL FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

Union Formed and Mr. H. H. Ford Elected to Presidency.

A Wilmington branch of the Federal Employees' Union, which has headquarters in Washington, D. C., was organized yesterday morning with a membership of 50 at a meeting held in the postoffice building. The membership includes employees from both Wilmington and surrounding towns who are employed by the Federal government in the Customs, Engineer department and other civil employees, except those in the postoffice department, who already have an organization. The local branch is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

The organization is thus affiliated with organized labor upon the understanding that such organization has complete autonomy—self government; that no one has the power to order or direct the organization to do anything whatsoever, and its constitution specifically provides that no Federal statute shall be violated; that under no conditions shall the business of the United States be interfered with and that under no circumstances shall the union engage in or support strikes against the United States.

The following officers were elected: President, H. H. Ford, of Wilmington; Vice president, Lewis Kilpatrick, of New Bern; secretary, T. R. Cobb, of New Bern; treasurer, Howard L. Jones, of Wilmington; guardian, Geo. D. Sanders, of Southport.

WILMINGTON COMPANY NEEDS

ONE ADDITIONAL RECRUIT

Sixty-Fourth Member of Local Company Has Been Accepted.

According to information received here from Camp Glenn, the Wilmington Engineer Company needs but one additional recruit to put it over the "dead line." The sixty-fourth member of the company has been accepted by the examining officers.

Including the local company, there are now encamped at Camp Glenn, 3,093 officers and men. Starting yesterday the members of the various commands were put through the first series of a regular schedule of drills. The mornings will be given over to close order drills, bayonet exercise, battalion drill and the like. In the afternoon instruction will be given in signaling, tent pitching, sketching, patrolling and other matters.

DEATH OF MRS. PLUMMER

Beloved Woman Passed Away Early

This Morning at Home of Her Son. Many friends in Wilmington will be shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Susan V. Plummer, widow of the late Capt. John W. Plummer, who died suddenly this morning at 1:30 o'clock at the home of her son, John W. Plummer, No. 312 North Sixth street, with whom she had lived for a number of years. She was well as usual yesterday and was out riding with her daughter, Mrs. M. G. Burr, yesterday afternoon. Death was caused by heart trouble with which she had suffered for some years.

She is survived by four children as follows: Mrs. E. W. Townsend, of Fayetteville; Miss Mary Plummer, of New York, and Mr. John W. Plummer and Mrs. M. G. Burr, of this city.

The funeral arrangements had not been made this morning and will be announced later.

Tokio, Sept. 5.—Another clash between Chinese and Japanese troops is officially reported from Chaoyangpo, Mongolia, and has led to the dispatch of heavy reinforcements. It is claimed that the Chinese attacked the Japanese while the Japanese were advancing to mediate between the Chinese and Mongolians.

To Discard Freckles, Tan, Pimples, Wrinkles

The use of creams containing animal substance sometimes makes the hair grow. You run no risk of acquiring superfluous hair when you use ordinary mercurial cream. There is nothing better for a discolored skin, as the wax actually absorbs the offensive cuticle. The latter is naturally replaced by a clear, smooth, healthy complexion, full of life and expression. It's the sensible way to discard a freckled, tanned, over-red, blotchy or pimply skin. Get an ounce of mercurial wax at any drug store and apply nightly like cold cream, erasing in the morning with soap and water. It takes a week or so to complete the transformation. The ideal wrinkle remover is made by dissolving an ounce of powdered sassafras in a half pint of water. Bathing the face in the solution brings almost instantaneous results.

TO SPEAK AT THE ACADEMY HANSON INJURED IN BOUT

Hon. Thos. W. Bickett Will Make Address Tomorrow Night—The Ladies Are Invited.

Because of the fact that the auditorium in the county court house will be entirely too small to hold the large audience that will want to hear Hon. Thos. W. Bickett, the Democratic nominee for Governor, speak tomorrow night, arrangements have been made to have him speak at the Academy of Music. This auditorium will not only provide ample room but will be much more comfortable.

As this will formally open the Democratic campaign in New Hanover county and as Attorney General Bickett's reputation as an orator is so well known, it is expected that a record breaking crowd will be on hand. A cordial invitation has been extended to the ladies to attend and it is expected that the women will be present in large numbers.

Regardless of whether or not one may be interested particularly in politics, either county, State or National, the address by Attorney General Bickett will be sure to appeal to them as he has the happy faculty of putting enough "human interest" into his speeches to make them appeal to all.

REV. J. E. C. HARRISON, A METHODIST MINISTER, KILLED

Dies Instantly After Being Shot by Will Trotter at Shady Grove, Ala.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 4.—The Rev. J. E. C. Harrison, a Methodist minister, was shot and instantly killed Saturday at Shady Grove, Ala., by shots alleged to have been fired from the home of Will Trotter, according to a report received here. Trotter, who is in the Troy jail charged with murder, is said to have confessed to the shooting with the claims that he "was fully justified."

Harrison, who is said to have been suspended from his ministerial duties at Shady Grove, was awaiting a hearing September 8, before a committee of ministers on charges of misconduct. The charges, it is said, connected Harrison's alleged wrong doing with the name of Trotter's wife, organist in the minister's church.

ARRESTED ON WARRANT BROUGHT ON DEUTSCHLAND

German is Charged With the Murder of His Wife Four Years Ago

Jersey City, N. J., Sept. 4.—Wladislaw Kubicki, living with his wife and two children here, was arrested today on a warrant brought to this country by the German merchant submarine Deutschland which charged him with the murder of Valeria Kleszynska, four years ago in Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Prussia. The young woman was choked to death and her body thrown in a pond, the warrant alleges, after she had quarreled with the prisoner's wife and had caused her arrest. The body was found a year after the slaying when the pond into which it had been thrown dried up.

Extradition proceedings will be begun tomorrow.

STREET RIOTS IN EL PASO.

Sympathizers of Striking Street Car Men Took Part.

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 4.—Street riots, in which sympathizers in a strike of street railway trainmen participated, followed a Labor Day parade here today. Several cars operated by non-union motormen and conductors were pulled from the rails and wrecked. The local police were powerless against the mobs that filled the downtown streets and appealed to the militia for aid. General George Bell, Jr., commanding, replied that he was unable to interfere in a civil matter.

The rioters were dispersed only after a score had been arrested. Following the rioting street railway traffic was suspended and all saloons closed.

IS FOUND IN RIVER

Body of G. Plummer Brown, of Atlanta, Had Bullet Wound in Head

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 4.—The body of G. Plummer Brown, former assistant treasurer of the Empire Trust and Safety Deposit Company, of Atlanta, was found in the Chattahoochee river near here today with a bullet wound in the head. A coroner's inquest was unable to determine whether the wound had been self-inflicted.

Officials of the Empire Trust said Brown had resigned to take effect September 30 and that his financial affairs were in good shape.

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside, to sour life to cost your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day a glass of hot water with a tablespoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment and, above all, keep it up! As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast, act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

Fritz L. Ross to Jack Ross When Forced to Retire on Account of Injuries—Wins First Fall.

After throwing Jack Ross in eight minutes, in the first fall at the Columbia theatre, at Columbia, S. C., last night, Fritz Hanson was injured in the second round and forced to retire from the contest, Ross winning by default. The ligaments in Hanson's shoulders were injured during the second session, which ended without a decision. Reports from Columbia late last night stated that the Swede's injuries were not thought to be serious.

Hanson won the first fall after eight minutes, using a standing crotch hold. The Wilmington wrestler displayed amazing strength and science and proved a match for his heavier opponent. He gave Ross a hard tussle from the top of the going until forced to retire on account of his injuries.

Few details were available last night but it is understood that Hanson would have had a good chance to have added to his record if he had already long list, but for the accident.

POTOMACS BARELY WINNERS OVER THE RICHMOND OARSMEN

Washington, September 4.—The Virginia Boat Club of Richmond forced the Potomacs, of Washington, to a killing pace in the Junior 8-oared event of the 27th annual regatta of the Middle States Association, held on the upper Potomac today. The Potomacs were winners, barely crossing the line in the lead. The races were held under ideal weather and water conditions. The entries included seven cities and 17 clubs, representing the best oarsmen in the amateur organizations of the East.

MELTING POT IN ST. PAUL.

Various Nationalities in Public School

Ball Teams. (From Jewish Immigration Bulletin.) The process of fusing the heterogeneous elements into a homogeneous whole is receiving the attention of all. That there need not be much fear for the future the following shows:

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1c for Ladies' Home Journal Patterns that sold for 10c and 15c.

18c pair for Buster Brown Hosiery, the 25c. kind.

98c piece for nice quality Long Cloth, 12 yds. to the piece.

4c yd. for one lot of Embroidery, worth up to 15c. yard.

9c yd. for Colored Poplins that sold for 25c. yard.

7 1/2c yd for Crash Toweling, the 15c grade.

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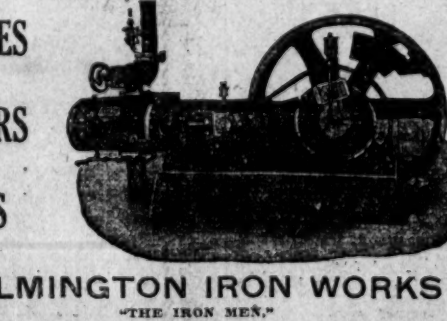
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WAKE FOREST OPENING TO TAKE PLACE TODAY

Indications Point to a Record Enrollment.

Every Room in Both New and Old Dormitories Already Taken—A Number of Changes Made in the Faculty.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wake Forest, N. C., Sept. 4.—The 1916-17 session of Wake Forest College will open on Tuesday, September 5. The entire day will be devoted to the registration of students, and formal class work will begin September 6.

All indications point to one of the largest enrollments since the founding of the college. Every room, without an exception, in both the new dormitory and the two old ones, has been engaged for fully a month before the date for the opening of the session. The correspondence from new men in both the president's and business office has been noticeably greater during the past summer months than in former years. All preparations for the opening of the session have been completed, and the new men, as well as the old students, will find everything in readiness when they arrive.

Due to the granting of leave of absence to several of the professors and the resignation of more, there will be quite a change in the faculty this year. The resignation of Dr. E. W. Sikes, Professor of Political Science since 1898, to accept the presidency of Coker College, Hartsville, S. C., has been accepted, and Dr. C. C. Pearson has been appointed to the position of Associate Professor of Political Science. He will have charge of the classes of Dr. Sikes and Associate Professor Johnson, who has resigned to complete his work for the Ph. D. degree in the University of Chicago. Dr. Pearson is a Ph. D. of Yale University, receiving his doctor's degree in 1913, and is also a Master of Arts of Richmond College. He served as instructor in Yale for one year, and as Acting Professor of History in Washington and Lee University for a year.

Dr. Eugene A. Case, Associate Professor of Pathology in the Medical-Chirurgical College of Philadelphia, has been elected Professor of Pathology and Bacteriology, to succeed Dr. Rowell E. Black, who resigned to accept a position in Dr. Von Ruck's Tuberculosis Hospital in Asheville. Dr. Case received his professional degree from the Medical-Chirurgical College in 1898, and has held various positions there since his graduation. He has also been Assistant Pathologist to the Philadelphia General Hospital for seven years, and Pathologist to the Howard Hospital, one year. Dr. Wilbur C. Smith was granted a year's leave of absence by the trustees at commencement, but since that time has resigned his professorship in order to accept a position in the Department of Anatomy in Tulane University. He will be succeeded by Dr. George A. Alford, of Atlanta, Ga., who is a graduate of the University of Kansas, and has had surgical experience both in the hospital and in the position of surgeon to the railway company of his city.

Associate Professor Roger P. McCutcheon, of the School of Medicine, has been granted a year's leave of absence to pursue his studies in Harvard University as a candidate for the doctorate in Philosophy.

FOREIGN TRADE OF JAPAN IS GREATLY EXPANDING

Australia is fastening to Great Britain in this expansion. (Correspondence of Associated Press.) The presence of a series of Japanese steamers in Sydney harbor—to say nothing of their calls at other commonwealth ports—attests how the foreign trade of the Japanese empire is expanding under the stimulus of the war and how Australia is assisting in that expansion. Japan has greatly increased her exports to Australia mainly in the shape of raw silk, cotton yarns and other cotton products, matches, hats, buttons, pottery, toys and glassware; and in the way of imports there has been a decided increase in such commodities as rubber, iron, lead, zinc and paper-pulp.

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha Line of steamers has reinforced the fleet plying between Japan and Australia, and lately it has decided to extend that service to New Zealand. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha maintains a regular mail service to Australia in addition to its direct cargo service to the commonwealth.

GERMAN SEAPLANES RAID RUMANIAN PORT SUCCESSFULLY

Statement at Berlin Says Russian Warships Were Bombed. Berlin, Sept. 4. (via London, Sept. 5).—An official communication issued here today says: "German seaplanes raided the harbor works and oil reserves at Constantza, Rumania, and also bombed Russian warships. Good results were observed. The raiders returned safely."

SAILING VESSEL RELEASED

Cargo of American Schooner Captured by Germans Was Released. London, Sept. 4.—The American sailing vessel Prins Valdemar, captured by the Germans July 20, while bound from San Francisco for Treleburg, and taken into Swinemunde, has been released, says a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company. The vessel's cargo of oil cake and foodstuffs was seized.

MOTOR BOAT WAR GAME

Battleships Maine, Kentucky and New Jersey to Take Part.

New York, Sept. 4.—The battleships Maine, Kentucky and New Jersey arrived off Sandy Hook tonight to serve as mother ships to a fleet of motor boats, which tomorrow will begin a miniature war game. The motor craft are a part of the Atlantic coast patrol formed recently as an aid to the navy in time of war. Several hydro-planes will participate.

New York, Sept. 4.—Thomas M. Osborne, Sing Sing prison warden, has begun a fight to prove that his indictment in Westchester county last December was a conspiracy planned in Great Meadows prison with connecting links in Albany and White Plains, it was disclosed here tonight.

MILLION CHINESE FACING STARVATION DUE TO FLOODS

Several Hundred Thousand Rendered Homeless in Anhwei Province.

Nanking, China, Sept. 4.—One million persons are threatened with starvation and several hundred thousand have been rendered homeless as a result of floods which are raging along the Hwai river in Anhwei province. President Li Yuan-hung has personally contributed \$100,000 silver for relief and parliament will doubtless make an effort to appropriate money for the same purpose. However, the Chinese government is practically bankrupt. Funds as a result of the bitter political situation, and Chinese papers say there will be an appalling death list from starvation if the American Red Cross shall not again come to the relief of the stricken.

The flooded district is approximately 200 miles long, and has an average width of 20 miles. It is a flat plain given over largely to wheat cultivation. The residents of the Hwai river valley have been the object of charity for many years. The American Red Cross has been endeavoring to better their condition by interesting financiers in a reclamation plan which would afford safe outlet for the flood water through the Grand Canal. Charles D. Jameson, an American engineer, studied the conditions for many years under the direction of the American Red Cross, and in 1914 a commission of engineers from America visited the Hwai valley and approved plans for its reclamation. These plans contemplate the draining of Hunte lake and the diversion of the water of the Hwai river into Paoying lake, and thence through the Grand Canal to the Yangtze river.

It has been estimated this would cost \$30,000,000, and it could be completed in six years. So far no financiers have been interested in the general plan for reclaiming the river basin, but an American concern, Siemens, Carey Company, of St. Paul, Minn., has been granted a concession to reclaim the Grand Canal. The reclamation of this is the first step in the Hwai river conservancy plan, as the building of the Grand Canal has much to do with closing the outlet of flood water from the Hwai river basin, and if the Grand Canal be deepened and kept in a perfect condition the duration of flood in the Hwai river basin will be considerably shortened.

The present flood is reported to be the most serious the district has suffered since 1909. At some points the Hwai river rose ten feet within a few days. Refugees are fleeing from the flooded district in all directions, because of the lack of food and the uselessness of remaining in a district where no further crops can be produced this year.

HURRICANE DESTROYED 50 PER CENT EXPORT CROPS

Governor of Jamaica Returns from Tour of Inspection.

Kingston, Jamaica, Sept. 4.—"Every body is agreed that we have lost about 50 per cent of our exportable crops for a year," said Governor Manning after returning from a tour of inspection of the damage caused by the hurricane of August 16. "Bananas are all down; in some parts of the country coconuts have been severely damaged, coconuts have been blown off trees, and many of the blossoms have been blown off, too. I am hoping that most of the ground provisions have been spared. But other than the actual damage done, it is an unfortunate blow. Twenty ships were on their way here and would have come had it not been for the hurricane. They would have lifted an enormous quantity of fruit.

"Sugar and rum are helping the situation somewhat, and will help it still more later on. Sugar does not seem to have suffered much in this blow, and if we can develop it we must do so. But there has been no definite scheme for the expansion of the sugar industry yet laid before the country. The home government, however, has just given us permission to export our sugar to America, and that will be good news to the planters."

PRESIDENT POTEAT WILL INTRODUCE SECRETARY BAKER

Has Had a Busy Summer Since Wake Forest Commencement.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Wake Forest, N. C., Sept. 4.—Dr. William Louis Poteat, president of Wake Forest College, has accepted an invitation from the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce to introduce Secretary of War Newton D. Baker, as the principal speaker at the annual Conservation Dinner which will be tendered in Greensboro this week. Secretary Baker, Congressman John H. Small and Dr. Poteat will be the three speakers at the occasion.

President Poteat has had an unusually busy summer, and his services as a speaker and lecturer have been in great demand. After the close of the Wake Forest commencement last May he delivered quite a number of commencement addresses at various schools and colleges, concluding with two addresses, one at Shorter College, Rome, Ga., the other at Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, Va. On June 27 and 28 he delivered two addresses at the State Seaside Assembly, Wrightsville.

WAR RELIEF DAYS.

Funds to be Taken for Armenians and Syrians October 21 and 22.

New York, Sept. 4.—By act of Congress, the President has appointed October 21 and 22 as days for the relief of the suffering among the Armenians and Syrians. The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America will send out the appeal to all the churches for a generous response. The American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief will seek to reach every community in the land, in an effort to relieve a distress greater than any the world has ever before witnessed.

Pastors are urged to set apart Sunday, October 22, for this purpose. Sermon material will be furnished to all the pastors by the Federal Council.

R. C. KEREENS DEAD

Former Envoy to Austria-Hungary—Will be Buried at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 4.—The body of Richard C. Kereens, former ambassador to Austria-Hungary, will be brought to St. Louis on a special train, due to arrive at the union station at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. Kereens died today at Merion, Pa. The body on its arrival will be taken to St. Alphonsus where a requiem high mass will be sung at 10 a. m. Burial will be in Calvary cemetery.

SECRET DEMANDS MADE UPON CHINA

(Continued From Page One.) out, Japan practically has a free hand in China as well as the European powers which are too fully occupied at home to devote much attention to the Far East.

The report of secret demands recalled to diplomats the famous 21 demands made upon China by Japan on January 18, 1915, the existence of which was denied for several weeks. A series of secret demands finally was given out by the Japanese embassy in London, omitting the vital group five. On April 25 a revised list was published, and on May 7 Japan sent a 43-hour ultimatum which was acceded to the next day.

TIMBER EXPERTS WANTED FOR EUROPEAN INVESTIGATION

Examinations to be Held in Larger Cities September 22nd.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Some real lumber experts are wanted for the important work of finding out what our chances are for selling lumber in Europe when the war is over. The Lumber Manufacturers' Association and the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce are working together in this investigation and indications are that it will be one of the most important steps ever taken to further the sales of American lumber in foreign countries.

Four or five men are required for the work and they will be employed by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, although the larger part of the fund required will be furnished by the lumber association. These men will be selected from the applicants who successfully pass an examination to be held in all the larger cities on September 22. Salaries not to exceed \$18 a day will be offered, and in addition all transportation expenses will be paid, and \$4 a day will be allowed for subsistence expenses.

Applicants for positions must be citizens of the United States and must be available for two years' service. The first subject of the examination will be practical questions, covering forestry, or timber production; manufacture of forest products; and marketing of forest products. For the second subject a thesis on investigation methods will be required. Foreign languages will be the third subject, and the competitors will be required to translate a passage from one at least of the following languages: French, German, Italian, Danish-Norwegian, Swedish, Spanish or Russian. Education and experience will count for much in the subject and applicants may prepare this statement in advance of the examination and deliver it to the examiner.

Ability to write good English is one of the most essential qualifications, and the examination papers. Good address and appearance will also be considered, as will ability to address public gatherings. Candidates who successfully pass the written examination may be required to appear before an oral examining board at Washington.

Applications to take this examination should be sent to the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce at Washington, and should contain a complete statement of the applicant's education and particularly his experience in the fundamental subjects of the examination.

FOOD FRAUDS IN BELGIUM.

Disclosed by Official Analysis of Some Food Surrogates.

Amsterdam, Netherlands, Sept. 4.—Official analysis of some of the food surrogates in Belgium is disclosing some extraordinary frauds. The Director General of the Public Health Service has found that some of the substitutes for oil, which is no longer obtainable, are worthless concoctions that cost the manufacturers only a few cents per liter, but which are sold to the public at a fancy price. One "oil sauce" was found to be 99.25 per cent water, with the remaining 75 per cent, an extract of gum. A "Mayonnaise" in fancy packing and "highly recommended" was found to contain 50 per cent water, 1.30 per cent oil, 19.70 per cent starch, and 2 per cent ash. An invalids food advertised as "meat extract," "extra quality," was made of 50 per cent water, 15 per cent burnt sugar, and 25 per cent salt.

"Butter" that sold at 120 per kilogram was made of tallow, cotton oil and borax. Jam brewed out of sawed and plaster of Paris that passed for rye flour; coffee that was made of sawed seeds; cigars that were rolled in the fine chestnut tree leaf with the filling of various dried leaves, and such frauds were found also.

SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD KING WEARS CONVICTS UNIFORM

Charged With Fomenting Revolt in French Protectorate of Annam.

Paris, Sept. 4.—The sixteen-year-old king, Duy-Tan, of the French protectorate of Annam, the Chinese sea, who was recently deposed because of his alleged fomenting of a revolt, has been sent to the French penal settlement on Reunion Island where he has donned the convict uniform in place of the richly jeweled royal garments which he was entitled to wear in his palace at Hue.

According to the reports which have reached Paris Duy Tan fell victim to the charms of an Annamite wizard, Tran Cao Van, who had already suffered punishment in 1905 for inciting to revolt the French protectorate. A mere boy, Duy Tan was flattered by the wizard with the idea of becoming an absolute ruler, and as the simplest and shortest means to his end resolved to instigate a rising among his people and even as far as drawing the commissions for the leaders when he was arrested by the French resident general who had been informed of the plot.

ANOTHER CAR STRIKE IN NEW YORK IS THREATENED

Mayor is Asked For Police Protection For Company's Property.

New York, Sept. 4.—On the eve of a threatened strike on subway and elevated railway lines here, Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, tonight asked Mayor Mitchell for police protection for the company's property. Mr. Shonts issued a statement in which he declared that the demands of the union would not be granted. Failure to comply with the demands, union leaders declared tonight would result in an immediate call for a strike.

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FUNERAL OF MRS. BOGART Body of Beloved Greensboro Woman Buried in Cross Creek Cemetery (Special Star Correspondence.) Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 4.—The funeral of Mrs. Julia Bogart, who died Thursday evening at her home, Greensboro, was held here Saturday afternoon immediately following the arrival of the train from Greensboro at 4:30 o'clock. The services were conducted at Cross Creek cemetery by Rev. J. L. Fairly, assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and were attended by many friends of the deceased, who was a native of this place, being before her marriage Miss Julia Deming. A profusion of flowers which accompanied the remains attested the high esteem in which Mrs. Bogart was held. Among those who came here to attend the funeral were her husband, W. F. Bogart, and daughter, Miss Julia Bogart, of Greensboro; Mrs. N. P. Angell, another daughter, and Mr. Angell, from New Bern; her sister, Mrs. T. C. Lewis, of Wilmington, and Paul R. Taylor, a nephew, also of Wilmington.

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